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DECLARES NEWLAND ACT INADEQUATE IN COLORADO

FORMER U. S. SEN. PATTERSON TESTIFIES AT COAL STRIKE HEARING

Criticises State's Methods in Dealing With the Strike and Argues That Nothing Short of Compulsory Arbitration Would Bring Peace.

Denver, Colo., Dec. 3.—Former United States Senator Thomas Patterson, testifying before the federal commission on industrial relations, today declared the Newlands act was not adequate to compose such a situation as arose out of the Colorado coal strike. He criticised the methods employed by the state in dealing with the strike and inferentially argued that nothing short of compulsory arbitration would bring peace.

"You believe compulsory arbitration would be less likely to break down than the mediation board created by the Newland's act now at work on the western railroad situation", he was asked.

"With any ordinary body of men", said Senator Patterson, "or any ordinary corporation. I care not of what wealth the views of the president of the United states or his suggestion, or a board of citizens would have a wonderful effect, but I can clearly see that such a body of men as are represented by the operators here would be absolutely impervious to what such a board would do."

"You believe the Newlands act would fail here?"

"Certainly. It is not compulsory. These operators believe in the divine right of legal rights."

He was asked to outline the mistakes during the strike of the strikers, operators and the administration.

"The system is a mistaken system", he said, "based on violence. The striker believes he can force the employer to accede to demands by interfering with his business."

"You think a strike is a mistake?"

"No, I believe it is the only means labor has to get improved conditions. The mistake of the operators was in refusing to confer with the men selected by their employes to represent them."

Mistake in Use of Militia.

"I think", he continued, "the governor made a mistake in the use of the militia. I think the president saw the point in refusing to allow federal troops to take sides and allowing them to escort strike breakers."

Senator Patterson declared that in conferences the operators had spoken in contempt of their employes as lawless, easily led, ignorant, unable to speak English. Yet he maintained the operators had preferred them and made efforts to secure non-English speaking people into their mines to minimize the possible co-operation of the men.

Governor Ammons of Colorado changed his orders to the state militia after he had called them out to protect property in the strike said Mr. Patterson. After sending the state troops out with orders to protect property and men who were at point and strikers who desired to return to work, the governor changed his instructions and ordered the militia to act under the Moyer decision and to protect strike breakers.

These orders, according to Mr. Patterson, made Adjutant General Chase supreme in the strike district.

"That decision has done more to demoralize society where these industrial disputes arise than any other agency", declared Mr. Patterson. "I think where you put the lives of a community at the will of a mere soldier and suspend the operations of the courts, that the soldier is more than human if he does not abuse it." He said that after the order to the militia had been changed the troops were engaged in taking strike breakers into the mines and arrests were made without court proceedings.

"All of these acts", he said, "by the militia, were done under the Moyer decision. Authority ordered the enlistment of "gunmen" mine guards and men in the militia under obligations to the operators, men who had absolutely no right in the militia of any state."

About this time Governor Ammons went east and violence began at Ludlow.

COMMISSION RECOMMENDS NEW MILLION DOLLAR STATE BUILDING

Springfield, Ills., Dec. 3.—At a meeting today of the Illinois centennial commission named by the last legislature to arrange a celebration in 1918 of the one hundredth anniversary of the admission of Illinois into the union it was decided to lay before the legislature which meets next month, plans for a million dollar Illinois Centennial Building. It is the plan to erect the structure in this city and dedicate it at the time of the centennial celebration in 1918. It is planned that the new building shall house the state library, the state historical library, the public instruction department and memorial hall.

State Senator H. S. Magill of Springfield was today elected chairman of the commission to succeed State Senator Campbell S. Hearn of Quincy whose death occurred recently.

TAFT URGES ECONOMY IN THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT AFFAIRS

Declares More Power Should be Vested in the President to Keep His Hands Upon the Expenditure of Money.

Detroit, Dec. 3.—Former President William H. Taft speaking before the Detroit Bankers' Club tonight urged economy in the administration of affairs of the federal government.

"More power," he declared, "should be vested in the president to keep his hands upon the expenditure of money in the various departments."

With economy and efficiency of government an object, Mr. Taft said:

"There are three great instrumentalities that ought to be created: First: Machinery for the reorganization of the executive departments of the government so as to eliminate duplications and overlaps; Second: a bureau directly responsible to the president to report to him a comparative statement of economy and efficiency in each department; and third, a plan for bringing the executive and legislative departments closer together and the preparation of an annual budget upon which congress can intelligently act.

"We must give to legislative department aid in drafting appropriation bills so that it may act with a comprehension of all. This is what a national budget is for. That is why they have budgets in all the countries of the world that have respectable governments, except our own. We have acted like children. We have had so much money available through taxation that we have not been obliged to consult the revenue side of the ledger. Now we are coming to the point where we must consult it. We must pursue the policy that other governments have found absolutely necessary in order to keep out of bankruptcy."

ADDITIONAL INDICTMENTS ARE RETURNED AGAINST BURKE

Isthmian Canal Commision is Charged With Accepting Bribes Totalling Nearly $21,000.

New York, Dec. 3.—Additional indictments against John Burke, an employe of the Isthmian Canal commission, as manager of the commissary department were handed up today by the federal grand jury which has been investigating alleged frauds in the canal zone. In them Burke is accused of accepting two bribes totalling nearly $10,000.

The first indictment charges that Burke accepted a bribe of $5,866 from Arthur Goldsmith, member of a Hanover, Germany, firm for passing aconsignment of supplies The second indictment alleges that he accepted a bribe of $4,000 from P. C. Canavaggio, a merchant of Colon for passing wines and other supplies intended for the canal zone. Burke appeared in the criminal branch of the United States district court and entered pleas of not guilty. He was required to furnish new bonds of $14,000 which makes the total bail in his case $38,000. In a dozen or more indictments Burke is charged with receiving bribes aggregating about $21,000.

SEVERS ALL CONNECTION WITH ORGANIZATION OF JEWISH WOMEN

Action of One of Founders of Body Causes Great Surprise—Was Executive Secretary Almost Twenty Years.

New York, Dec. 3.—Miss Sadie American of New York, one of the founders and for almost twenty years executive secretary of the National Council of Jewish Women, severed all connections with the organization at the convention here today. The action was taken at an executive session and it is said, caused great surprise.

Miss American made her announcement just before the convention began work on revising the constitution, one of the main objects of which was to consider curtailing powers of the executive secretary. A statement given out quotes Miss American as saying that the action was taken by the "conduct and acts of several of its (the organization's) officers, makes service with them inconsistent with dignity and self-respect."

CAPTAIN EXPLAINS VALUE OF AVIATORS AS SEA SCOUTS

WASHINGTON, Dec. 3.—Captain Bristol in charge of the naval army aviation, spoke before the naval committee today.

Captain Bristol explaining the value of aviators as sea scouts said that while submarines might not be discovered from the deck of a ship or torpedo boat destroyer they could be detected by aeroplanes or dirigibles even if submerged fifty to one hundred feet under the surface of the water.

Foreign manufacturers have a better aeroplane motor than any American type the captain thought, largely because the public here lacked the interest in aviation that there is in Europe.

OLDEST ODD FELLOW DIES.

Baltimore, Md., Dec. 3.—Philip Herzberg, reputed to be the oldest Odd Fellow in the United States, died here today at the age of 93. Death was due to the infirmities of old age.

DANIELS DEFENDS THE NAVY'S PREPAREDNESS

STATEMENT EMBODYS SPECIAL REPORT OF ORDNANCE BUREAU CHIEF

Declares There is no Ship in the Navy That is Prepared to Take the 58 Long Range Torpedoes so Often Referred to—Are Not Desired for Submarines.

Washington, Dec. 3.—What officials regard as popular exaggeration of admitted defects in the American navy's torpedo equipment was the subject of a statement issued tonight by Secretary Daniels, embodying a special report from Rear-Admiral Strauss, chief of the bureau of ordnance.

Specifically the statement was prepared to prove misleading a declaration that "of long range torpedoes there are only 58 in the navy," quoted from a speech by Representative Gardner of Massachusetts, who is urging the administration to support his resolution for an investigation of the nation's military preparedness.

While the recent discussion of ths subject has dealt only with the equipment of battleships and cruisers Admiral Strauss took occasion to point out that long range torpedoes are neither required nor desired for submarines. He recalled that the British armored cruisers Aboukir, Cressey and Hogue were torpedoed and destroyed by a German submarine at a range of 500 yards.

"This statement, standing by itself, is calculated to leave a false impression," said Mr. Daniels. "In view of repeated statements that the navy has only 58 long range torpedoes, the chief of the bureau of ordnance has been asked to furnish a statement concerning the torpedo situation and has complied, as follows:

"'The 58 long range torpedoes so often referred to as the only ones the navy possess are of the 21-inch, 21-foot type and there is no ship in the United States navy yet in commission that is prepared to take them. They were manufactured for new construction beginning with the Nevada and the Oklahoma and these two ships will not go into commission until about the end of next year. Their long range is obtained by an increase in length over existing types and no ship prior to the Nevada and Oklahoma is constructed for torpedoes of this length. So far as the bureau of ordnance can ascertain, these torpedoes have as high a range, or higher, than any torpedoes manufactured abroad.

"Beginning with the Virginia class which went into commission principally in 1906 and up to and including the Texas, which went into commission this year, all the battleships are provided with 21-inch, 27-foot tubes. Within the last two years it was found possible to so improve the 21-inch, 17-foot torpedo as to practically double its range and steps were taken at once to construct new torpedoes having the increased range. We already have a sufficient number of these longer range torpedoes to outfit the eight most recent dreadnaughts in commission and that is the equipment they will have on board.

"'In addition to the above there are being manufactured at the government works at Newport and the Bliss Works at Brooklyn a sufficient number to provide all of the battleships of the United States navy beginning with the Virginia class with the long range torpedo. The Ohio class which were first commissioner about 1904 are fitted with 18-inch tubes and torpedoes of the highest range cannot be substituted for the equipment now furnished them without serious alterations.

"'All of the armored cruisers except four and all of the older destroyers are provided with 18-inch tubes. All of the cruisers and all of the destroyers subsequent to destroyer No. 28, are provided with torpedoes that were up to date in range and speed one year ago. Since that time a scheme has been developed for increasing the range of the 18-inch torpedo and there are now in process of construction 18-inch torpedoes of the newer type which will outfit all destroyers from No. 28 with the long range weapon.

"'Long range torpedoes are neither required nor desired for submarines. Submarine warfare is of such a character as to make it advisable to use short range high speed torpedoes and that is the class that submarines are being furnished with. The Aboukir, Cressey and Hogue were torpedoed recently at range of 500 yards.'"

Major General's Annual Report.

Washington, Dec. 3.—Appointment of naval academy graduates as marine officers, an increase of the personnel of the corps by about 800 officers and men, including two brigadier generals and the assignment of detachments to small warships for possible service in foreign countries constitute the chief recommendations in the annual report of Major General George Barnett, commandant of the marine corps, made public today.

Emphasizing the need for obtaining marine officers from Annapolis, General Barnett observes:

Not only would the corps then receive officers who are better educated technically than those now admitted but also much better qualified physically. Recently there have been altogether too many young officers of the corps who soon after their entry have developed physical defects that render them unfit for service.

The report asks that unless this recommedations is adopted no more appointments will be made until congress has been asked to provide for appointments from civil life of provisional second lieutenants to serve as such for two years, meanwhile attending an officers' school.

In urging the increase in personnel General Barnett points out that expeditionary work last year, especially that in Mexico, made it necessary practically to deplete the barracks in this country.

Of the suggestion that marines in considerable numbers from one company to abattalion be placed on and light draft ships be prepared for service abroad, the report says:

"It is suggested that if a sufficient number of marines had been available to enable policy to have been carried out last year, it would have relieved a considerable number of battleships from this duty and would have enabled them to have carried on their training preparatory to war in a more satisfactory manner."

General Barnett expresses fear that long continued service in the tropics "is bound to have an unfortunate effect on the health of the corps" and adds that adverse reports have come from inspecting officers due to inadequate and unsanitary barracks which cannot be improved without special appropriations.

War News Summarized

With hundreds of thousands of fighting men along the battle fronts in the eastern and western arenas of Europe, the official statements vouchsafe little information regarding actual operations. Apparently only on the French right wing in France have the troops of the opposing nations shown any particular activity during the past 24 hours. The French report the occupation of Lesmenils and one of the signal stations at Xon on the right bank of the Moselle. Likewise in the Vosges the French have taken an observation point previously occupied by the Germans.

In Poland, upon which all eyes are fixed, the Germans, having extricated themselves from a difficult and menacing position are directing their efforts against the Russian army which failed a few days ago to encompass the invaders. The Petrograd view of the situation is that the "Warsaw campaign of the Germans appears to have resolved itself into a persistent and dogged grinding against the Russian center, with the aid of the recently arrived heavy reinforcements.

Nineteen thousand Servian prisoners are said to have been taken by the Austrians since they began the present offensive movement and Servia's casualties since the beginning of the war are estimated at 100,000.

Italy will maintain an attitude of "loyal but watchful and armed neutrality" if she follows the advice of Premier Salandra. The premier in a statement made at the opening of the Italian parliament in the course of which he frequently was applauded declared a careful study of her treaty obligations and the causes of the present war had convinced the government that Italy was not called upon to participate.

Italy, he declared, has vital interests to protect and justly aspires to maintain her position as a great power and must therefore be ready for any eventualities.

Thus the supreme task of the government was to bring the army and the navy to a state of preparedness.

The French cabinet is to return to Paris from Bordeaux and parliament will meet in extraordinary session in Paris on Dec. 22nd.

The announcement of the return of the government to the capital is taken as an indication that the allies are convinced they have in Northern France forces of sufficient strength to check any further advance the Germans may attempt.

TO ABANDON INTERNATIONAL FOOTBALL MATCHES THIS YEAR

Delegates at Meeting in London Decide to Recommend Action to Their Respective Associations.

London, Dec. 3.—Delegates of the English, Scottish, Welsh and Irish professional football associations at a meeting in London today decided to recommend to their respective associations that international football matches this season be abandoned.

This decision was reached by the delegates after a prolonged conference. At the conclusion of the meeting the following statement was issued:

"There is no evidence that the playing of football has hindered or is hindering recruiting. On the contrary there is good reason to conclude that football has encouraged and has assisted recruiting. In these circumstances this meeting recommends that except as regards international matches it is not right that football should be suspended.

"This meeting is of the opinion that to deprive the working people of our country of their Saturday afternoon's recreation would be unfair and very mischievous.

GUTIERREZ AND VILLA NOW IN MEXICO CITY

MILITARY CHIEFS CONFER WITH GENERAL ZAPATA AT CUERNAVACA

Will Discuss Question of Distribution of Forces in the Capital and Vicinity—Meagerly Clad Zapatistas Now Patrolling City.

Washington, Dec. 3.—Provisional President Gutierrez and General Villa are in Mexico City and several of their military chiefs have gone to Cuernavaca to discuss with General Zapata and his officers the distribution of forces in the capital and vicinity.

This was reported today in official dispatches to the state department which stated that conditions in Mexico City were quiet.

"Zapatistas very meagerly clad, some being barefooted, patrol the city", said an announcement from the state department summarizing official messages dated last night.

"The army of the north is encamped in the suburbs. No further molestation of foreigners has occurred and fair order is being maintained. Thus far there has been no friction."

"On the morning of Dec. 2, Special Agent George C. Carothers and some of the northern chiefs proceeded in automobiles to Cuernavaca. It is reported that at this interview the matter of the entry of the northern forces and the understanding with them would be determined.

"Orders have been issued by General Villa with reference to the occupation of private property upon the entry of his troops. It is stated that private property is not to be occupied without the consent of the owners previously being given."

While the Mexican railroad east from Mexico City has suffered some damage at the hands of the Carranzistas, official dispatches say the British-owned railway system was left intact and has been restored to the company's management. The state department was informed that General Carranza and General Candido Aguilar went to Jalapa three days ago on an inspection trip.

Railroad and telegraph communication between Saltillo and Monterey and between Laredo and Saltillo is in good order, according to consular advices. Piedras Negras is quiet. Conditions in Monterey are normal and communication with Tampico by rail and telegraph continues.

Enter Capital Section of City.

El Paso, Tex., Dec. 3.—Advices to the Villa agency here today said that Provisional President Gutierrez and General Villa have entered the capital section of Mexico City. Their reception was declared as having been "encouraging." The Carrana consulate at El Paso received today a report from Naco saying that Carranza leader General Iturbide had captured Guayamas a port on the west coast.

It also was reported that Hermosillo, capital of Sonora state was being attacked. Other reports of the Guayamas attack came in a military bulletin from Vera Cruz. It was stated that Iturbide began his attack with a brigade of infantry and a section of field pieces also driving the Villa garrison from the outposts.

From the east coast it was reported through Carranza sources that General Caballero had routed a group of Villa troops which had been advancing on the town of Panuco. The Villa factions claim Caballero as an ally. The Carranza war office also reported attacks by General Herrera's troops on the Villa garrisons in Chihuahua state. This has not been confirmed by border advices.

ARREST MAN ON CHARGE OF SETTING THREE STORES ON FIRE

DANVILLE, Illinois, Dec. 3.—Three fires occurring simultaneously kept the fire department busy tonight, and Chester Rodhamel, believed to be a pyromaniac, responsible for them, is held by the police. Furniture valued at $75,000 in the warehouse of the Danville Furniture and Carpet company is believed to be a total loss. Fires started in the rear of the Dowling and Schulz Hardware company, and Danville Cigar company, stores were discovered in time to prevent much loss except by smoke.

Fires were about one block apart. Rodhamel was arrested as he arrived on the run in the rear of the Thomas Conron Hardware store, where it is believed he expected to start another blaze.

BELIEVE ILLINOIS SHOULD HAVE TRAINING SCHOOL FOR COACHES

CHAMPAIGN, Ills., Dec. 3.—How the University of Illinois can best serve the state through its athletic department was the subject of the address by President James at the close of university celebration of Illinois Day.

Dr. James expressed the belief that the University, by establishing a permanent training school for coaches for high schools, could greatly improve the athletic standards of the schools. He blamed the pressure of business interests for the semi-professional and commercialized standards credited to high schools.

ALLEGED HEAD OF CLAIRVOYANT RING MAKES WRITTEN CONFESSION

Frank Ryan's Swindling Receipts Averaged From $3,000 to $6,000 a Month—Is Dying of Tuberculosis.

Chicago, Dec. 3.—In spite of the $400 monthly payment for police protection, Frank Ryan, alleged head of a clairvoyant ring that operated in Chicago until recently, had a rather good thing of it here and his personal share of the swindling receipts averaged from $3,000 to $6,000 a month, he told Maclay Hoyne, state's attorney in a written confession made public today.

In addition to the regular monthly police payments Ryan said he paid an average of $25 to $100 weekly to help buy flowers for some policeman who had lost a member of his family. He said that it took a neat sum to entertain the out of town policemen who frequently came with warrants for the clairvoyant squad.

Ryan was captured in Detroit a few weeks ago. He is very ill of tuberculosis and his confession was made, Hoyne said, on the promise that it would keep him from dying in the penitentiary. It was partly on the strength of Ryan's confession according to the state's attorney that Hoyne offered Captain Halpin, former chief of detectives and a score of his men a chance to resign.

Ryan paid his protection money, he said, through Barney Bertsche, a ward politician, recently shot in a downtown revolver fight with two detectives.

"When I first came to Chicago in 1911, I paid $300 a month for police protection" he said. "For my end I usually got from $3,000 to $6,000 monthly. Once I cleaned up $36,000 in three months. Business had a slump during the newspaper strike because the newspapers wouldn't print our advertisements and the people couldn't read them.

"Detectives came here from New York that year and showed me a phony warrant that they said they were going to take me back on unless I settled on a $2,500 bond I had jumped. That was from a job I did in Boston. When the detectives from Boston came for me in New York, I fixed it so I was arrested by the New York police on a phony charge so I wouldn't have to go back to Boston and probably go to the penitentiary. I was released on $2,500 bond and skipped to Chicago.

"Those New York fellows knew I had jumped a bond and knew it would be easy to hold me up. Well, I guess it was.

"When I refused to pay us, they threatened to tell the state's attorney so in the end I gave them $2,900; the $2,500 they asked and $400 for expenses. That bond hasn't been settled yet.

"I can't kick on the police not giving me the protection I paid for though."

Ryan will submit the confession to the grand jury tomorrow according to Hoyne.

DOWN-AND-OUTERS OCCUPY PEWS AT CHICAGO CHURCH WEDDING

Well-to-do Manufacturer Chooses to Invite Men Who are His Friends.

Chicago, Dec. 3.—Instead of the usual wedding audience of well dressed, well fed men and women, more than a score of down-and-outers were the occupants of pews in the Wabash avenue Methodist Episcopal church today, the invited guests of J. W. Gossard on his wedding day. Mr. Gossard, a well-to-do business man and manufacturer has long been associated with charity.

Before the ceremony which united him to Mrs. Sarah L. Brown in matrimonial bonds, Mr. Gossard explained the presence of the unusual guests.

"I chose this setting," he said, "because these men are my friends. Some are sadly garbed and in want but they are my friends and whom I love."

After reading from the gosepl of Luke, Mr. Gossard said to his guests:

"Men, I am about to be married. For twenty years I have prayed to God for a faithful loving wife and he has given her to me. Have any of you any objection?"

"No," came a swift answer in chorus.

A wedding feast which was attended to a man by the wedding guests was served after the ceremony.

APPEAL FOR FUNDS FOR GERMAN AND AUSTRIAN WAR PRISONERS

WASHINGTON, Dec. 3.—An appeal for funds for German and Austro-Hungarian war prisoners in Siberia who are said to be in great suffering, was forwarded to the foreign office at Vienna today by the state department at the request of the Austro-Hungarian embassy here.

The dispatch, which came from the Austro-Hungarian consul-general in Shanghai, told of the pitiful conditions of the Siberian captives and begged that assistance be sent from America for their relief. It also requested authorization from Vienna for the use of local funds to be sent through China into Russia for this purpose. Thus far no official report has come to the United States from Siberia as to the conditions in the military detention camps, although American representatives have inspected and reported on conditions in England, France, Germany, Austria and Hungary.

INTEREST CENTERS IN RUSSO-GERMAN FIGHT

RUSSIANS ADVANCE WITHIN FIRING DISTANCE OF CRACOW

Official Pronouncement of Progress on Front from Czenstochowa to East Prussian Frontier are Guarded—No News of Fighting in the Caucasus or in Egypt.

London, Dec. 3.—With the lull in the battle in the west, which has assumed the proportions of a heavy cannonade at widely separated points with only occasional infantry attacks, interest is now almost entirely centered in the struggle between the Russian and German hosts in the east.

At last the Russians have approached within firing distance of Cracow, their steady advance from Przemysl having proceeded without any real check. They were reported today to be mounting heavy batteries around the town of Wieliczka, which they occupied yesterday and from which the outer forts of Cracow can be reached.

Important as this is—for the fall of Cracow would lay open the roads to Vienna, Breslau and Berlin—the main interest in the east continues to rest with the operations on the irregular front from Czenstochowa through Lodz and Lowicz to the east Prussian border.

Official pronouncements as to the progress here are guarded and indefinite and it is thus difficult to arrive at a conclusion with regard to the course of events.

It is apparent however, that a new battle has developed to the southwest of Lodz, where the Germans have formed a new line with fresh forces brought from Kalisz and are again trying to penetrate the Russian center. The Russians, too, have had time to straighten out their line, and in the eyes of the allies another battle following so closely that just concluded in this region must help them in the long run, for, it is argued, win or lose the Germans must be further weakened and in addition, will soon have to turn their attention to the Russian offensive around Silesia and around Cracow.

On the other hand, German experts believed that defeat for the Russians would enable the German generals to unite all their forces for another blow against the allies in the west. However, the battle must last for some days and the opposing troops may be counted upon to fight with the same intensity as they did in the previous conflict when the losses in killed, wounded and missing reached enormous numbers.

There has been no news for some days of the fighting in the Caucasus or in Egypt but throughout the whole of Africa more liveliness is anticipated, now that General Christian DeWet has been captured and General Louis Botha can carry out his original plans of moving against German southwest Africa, the first Australian and New Zeland contingents have been landed in Egypt for operations against the Turks and Portuguese reinforcements have reached Angola to take the offensive against the Germans on their African borders. The political event of the day was the announcement by the premier of Italy that nothing had intervened to prompt Italy to alter her policy of neutrality.

SPRINGFIELD WOMAN BELIEVES MAN KILLED IN DUEL IS HER SON

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Dec. 3.—Mrs. Leafy Moran of this city today expressed the conviction to the police that the man killed at Eva Shade, Ark. several days ago in a revolver duel while attempting to rob a bank at that place, is her son, William Webber, who is wanted at Joplin, Mo., for the murder of Mrs. Louise E. Hagenbach, Nov. 19. Mrs. Hagenbach was slain in her room at the Grand Central rooming house, robbery being the alleged motive. Webber served a sentence in Chester penitentiary for complicity in the murder of Frank Frorer, a wealthy Lincoln coal operator who was slain and robbed while on his way to his mine with the semi-monthly pay roll.

KNOX NAMES McWILLIAMS CAPTAIN

Galesburg, Ill., Dec. 3.—Mark Mc Williams, of Abingdon, Illinois, was elected captain of the Knox 1915 football team this afternoon. Mc-Williams is half back.

WEATER INDICATIONS AND TEMPERATURES.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 3.—Illinois—Cloudy Friday, probably rain in east and south; Saturday fair.

Temperatures.

The current, maximum and minimum temperatures recorded for Thursday were:

Jacksonville	44	44	39
Boston	52	62	50
Buffalo	38	38	38
New York	54	60	50
New Orleans	60	70	58
Chicago	42	42	40
Detroit	36	40	32
Omaha	40	44	20
St. Paul	28	28	24
Helena	36	38	28
San Francisco	54	56	46
Winnipeg	12	22	12



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THE PHILOSPHER'S VIEW.

(From Ed. Howe's Monthly.)

Every time a lazy man stops, he finds another lazy man waiting to talk foolishness with him.

Seven-tenths of the work of town men seems to be wrangling. But work with a farmer is real work; everything he lifts is heavy.

When a stranger calls on a farmer he suspects a trap and is suspicious; but when a stranger calls on a town man, he thinks the stranger has heard of him.

The funniest thing in the world results when a woman reads in a paper how to make an unusual dress and then sits down and does it.

MOST PEOPLE AT WORK.

More than half (53.3 per cent) of the entire population in the United States 10 years of age and over was engaged in some gainful occupation in 1910, according to the report on occupations recently published by William J. Harris, director of the census, department of commerce. This percentage (53.3) included rural as well as urban localities, but the proportion of the population gainfully employed was somewhat higher in the towns and cities than in the country districts.

The comparatively slight variation between cities in the proportion of the population 10 years of age and over engaged in some gainful occupation is illustrated by the figures for the city of New York, in the east, with 56 per cent employed; New Orleans, in the south, with 54 per cent; Chicago, in the north or middle west, with 56 per cent; and in the for west, Los Angeles, with 53 per cent and San Francisco with 62 per cent.

STOCK DISEASES ARE COSTLY.

It is estimated that cattle to the value of more than $1,000,000 have been lost during the present outbreak of foot and mouth disease. Of this sum the government pays $500,000 and the states in which the cattle are killed pay the other half.

In addition to the $500,000 which the government has paid farmers up to date for the stock which had to be killed, approximately $250,000 in addition had to be paid for transportation, labor, salaries, subsistence, disinfectants, and supplies for the 500 or more men who have been engaged by the bureau of animal industry in the fight against the disease.

The total amount of $750,000 spent thus far by the government is more than twice what has been spent in previous epidemics of foot and mouth disease. In 1908, $267,000 was spent by the federal government, and in 1902 the amount was $300,000. During both of these years, however, the area covered by the disease was much smaller than at the present time.

In contrast to the loss from foot and mouth disease, amounting already to approximately $750,000, the government has estimates which show that the loss from other live stock diseases amounts to more than $212,000,000 each year. The largest part of this loss is caused by hog cholera, which causes a loss amounting to more than $75,000,000 a year.

Texas fever and cattle ticks, against which the government is conducting a vigorous campaign, cause a loss of $40,000,000 a year. Tuberculosis of cattle and other stick comes next, with a loss of $25,000,000; contagious abortion, $20,000,000; anthrax, $1,000; glanders, $5,000,000; other diseases of live stock, $22,000,000; parasites, $7,000,000, and poultry disease more than $8,750,000, making a total of exactly $212,850,000 lost by live stock and poultry raisers each year due to various diseases, a large number of which are known to be preventable.

THE STATE AND THE CITY.

The great state of Illinois was ninety six years old Thursday and along with other cities Jacksonville celebrated the anniversary with programs in the schools. It was a fitting thing to follow this general plan throughout the state of endeavoring to impress upon the young people what a wonderful history Illinois has. The mere facts teach lessons of patriotism and frugality and cannot but impress the boys and girls as to how great is their indebtedness to the fathers and mothers who came here at an early day.

The anniversary program have added also to the interest in the preparations for the celebration of the Illinois centennial, four years hence bringing to attention as they have the many points in which the state stands pre-eminent. Illinois is the twenty-first state of the federal union in the order of its admission. No other state has been the theatre of more momentous events or contributed more to the nation as a whole and the history of the state through the name of its great leaders is closely interwoven with that of the nation.

And as one thinks of the greatness of the state there comes too, the thought of how great Jacksonville really is. Just as men constitute a state, so men constitute a city and measured by citizenship, Jacksonville is rivalled by few and surpased by none. This city has not had a marvelous growth and probably never will have because large and quick growth come only where natural location or resources bring them. If Jacksonville had mines, had water transportation as well as many railroads, no doubt industrial development would come in large degree but without these advantages we must be satisfied with a slow and steady growth.

Meanwhile the people of Jacksonville can find justifiable pride in the fact that they live in a city where there are few paupers, where people without a common school education are rare and where every one has a fair chance to secure those things that make for happiness. The general atmosphere of Jacksonville makes for good citizenship and while it is not true by any means that all ideals have been attained you can write it down as a fact that there is not a city in the state with cleaner moral tone or a higher class of citizens.

With general business here dependent upon agriculture and that agriculture carried on in a rich district, conditions vary only slightly when other communities are commercially paralyzed. It's worth while to live in such a city and when the year arrives for Jacksonville's centennial, there may not be a hundred thousand people here, but you will find the same kind of staple citizenship represented that we have now and everybody moderately prosperous. It's good to be alive—in Jacksonville.

BROTHERHOOD OF FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH RE-ORGANIZES

Banquet Held at the Church is Followed by Business Session—Officers Elected.

A re-organiation of the Brotherhood of the First Baptist church was perfected at a banquet held at the church Thursday evening. After a splendid supper had been served by the Pastor's Aid society, L. B. Turner, the retiring president was introduced as toastmaster and the following toasts were given:

"The Relation of the Brotherhood to Civic Affairs"—Carl Weber.

"Our Relation to the Church"—W. C. Springgate.

"Our Relation to the Men of the Church"—Alex Rabjohns.

"Value of Men's Organizations"—Rev. Percy Stephens.

A constitution and by laws was adopted and plans were talked over as to increasing the membership. The meetings will be held the third Friday in each month.

The election follows:
President—Charles Story.
Vice president—John Chipchase.
Secretary—John Shofield.
Treasurer—John K. Long.

THE DELTA DANCING CLUB

Company of Young Men Form Social Organiation Thursday Evening.

The Delta Dancing club is the name of a social organiation formed Thursday evening at a meeting of Jacksonville young men at the Peacock Inn. Fred Hopper was elected president of the club and George Vasconcellos, secretary. The young men plan to give a series of ten dances during the winter season, two of them to be dinner dances. Full dress will be worn at all functions and carriages and flowers will be barred except at the dinner dances.

The following members have been enrolled in the club and two or three more will probably be added at a subsequent meeting:

George Vasconcellos, John W. Larson, H. Jay Rodgers, John Groves, Ernest Stout, Fred B. Hopper, William Edney, Henry Hein, M. E. Cain, J. J. Brown, Leon Jaeger, C. N. Bell, William Deutsch, Louis Deutsch, George Orear, W. D. Gates, M. W. Osborne, E. V. Bassett, J. Clarence Lukeman, Stuart Russel, Fletcher Hopper and Harold Gay.

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TAG DAY ON HILL TO AID AMERICAN RED CROSS

Today is tag day at Illinois college to raise funds for the assistance of the American Red Cross in the European war and an attempt will be made to raise sufficient money among students of the institution to buy a bale of absorbent cotton, one thousand yards of gauze and one hundred pounds of cloroform. The presidents of the college classes and the president of the Senior Whipple class compose the committee and members of the faculty are lending their aid to make the event a success. Others in the community who may desire to help and have not the time nor facility to remit themselves may contribute to the fund today by allowing themselves to be tagged on college hill or communicatiag with President Rammelkamp.

Red Seal Records for Xmas. J. P. Brown, Music House.

LEAVES FOR EAST.

Mrs. J. C. Turner, who has been in Jacksonville for a visit with her brother, F. J. Andrews, left yesterday for her home in New York City by way of Mattoon. She was accompanied to the latter city by her brother, J. D. Andrews, with whom she will make a brief visit before proceeding to New York. Mr. Andrews has been in Jacksonville attending to business in connection with the B. P. Andrews & Sons fire loss.

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SHERIFF ROGERS TAKES SEVEN PRISONERS TO SERVE SENTENCES

Three Men Are Taken to Chester Penitentiary and Four Boys to the Pontiac Reform School.

Sheriff W. B. Rogers, as a county officer, took his last prisoners from the county jail to serve sentences Thursday. Joseph Bridges, Robert Williams (colored), Russel Reynolds and Ernest Richardson were taken to the reform school at Pontiac by the sheriff and J. C. Austin. Amos Sutton, Fred Ausmus, and Ira Carr were taken to Chester penitentiary by Deputy Ben Andrews, assisted by George Woods. These men will serve indeterminate sentences. All the boys will be in the reform school at least two years and the Bridges youth will not get out under three or four years.

SOCIAL EVENTS.

A merry crowd of young people enjoyed a very pleasant evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Asa Robinson on North Church street Wednesday evening. Those present belonged to a club and the evening was spent with music, dancing and playing games. Light refreshments were served.

The Unity Workers of the Presbyterian church of Woodson held their regular meeting Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Samuel Butler. Devotional service was led byMrs. J. B. Leach and the following program was given:

Reading—Miss Edith Colton.
Duet—Mrs. William Russel and Miss Sadie Irlam.
Piano duet—Misses Edith Colton and Sadie Irlam.

A social hour was held and a two course luncheon was served. Those present were Mrs. William Colton, Mrs. J. B. Leach, Mrs. Margaret Rannells, Mrs. Samuel Butler, Mrs. Lloyd Darwent, Mrs. Porter Bell, Mrs. Otto Grimmett, Mrs. J. Steinmetz, Miss Edith Colton and Miss Sadie Irlam.

The Kewpie Klau club met Thursday evening with Misses Edith Taylor and Irene Park, 357 West North street. The hours were happily spent in playing games and with music and during the evening light refreshments were served.

A six penny social of the B. Y. P. U. of the First Baptist church was held Thursday evening, at the home of Miss Elsie Reed on North Fayette street. The social was in charge of a committee composed of Miss Mabel Withee, chairman, Mrs. Carl Weber, Miss Irene Sandberg, Miss Bertha Austin and Fred Mayer. A three course luncheon was served and games and music afforded amusement for the evening.

At the business session the B. Y. P. U. was organized into two crews to enter a race across the Atlantic to Palestine. A chart of the ocean will be used to show the progress being made. The liners selected are the Muretania and the Lusitania. The captains are Charles Withee and Fred Mayer. Progress will be made by the securing of new members and the majority of passengers present each Sunday.

The ladies of the Congregational church held their December birthday social in the church parlors Thursday afternoon. The hostesses were Mrs. Miller Weir, Mrs. Eb Spink, Mrs. James Merrill, Miss Edith Dahman, Miss Glucker and Miss Walker. Fancy work was done and light refreshments served.

Mrs. F. C. Prefzger of 324 North Sandusky, entertained a limited company at bridge Thursday afternoon in honor of Miss Ruth Cox of Peoria. The occasion was one of special pleasure for every guest.

The Jolly club planned and executed a surprise on Mr. and Mrs. Claude Winter, four miles south of the city Thrsday evening. It was gotten up by Mr. and Mrs. George Barnhart and Isaac Watson. A fine oyster hsupper was served and evening was spent with games and in a social way.

The following were present, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Harding and daughter Jessie, Mr. and Mrs. George Barnhart, Mr. and Mrs. John Lewis, Mr. and Mrs. John Casey and son William, Mr. and Mrs. Porter Bell, Mrs. Sarah Vorhees and son Hugh, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Boughman, Mr. and Mrs. John Leach and Isaac Watson.

MISS OLINGER ON MILLIKIN U. FACULTY

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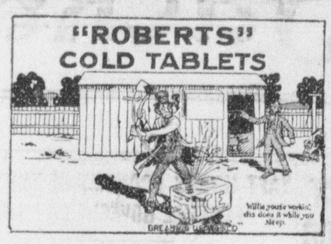
Miss Lucile Olinger, who went to Decatur in the fall to specialize in music at the James Millikin University, has, we learn, through the resignation of one of the teachers, become a member of the faculty for the term, and has been offered her position again next year.

JACKSONVILLE MEN WIN BOWLING MATCH.

A team from Springfield was in the city Thursday evening participating in a bowling match at the Illini alleys on East State street. The score was 2363 to 2312 in favor of Jacksonville. Becker, Cox, Hughey and Johnson composed the Springfield team with T. P. Townes as captain. The local team was: John Hagel, Otto Schumm, Floyd Butterfield, Samuel Boston and A. L. Mirus, captain.

HIGH SCHOOL TO AID IN RED CROSS SEAL SALE

The students of the high school have been enlisted in the Christmas seal campaign and the students of the four classes will sell the stamps in competition. A meeting was held Thursday afternoon of the presidents of these classes and arrangements made for the campaign by the students.



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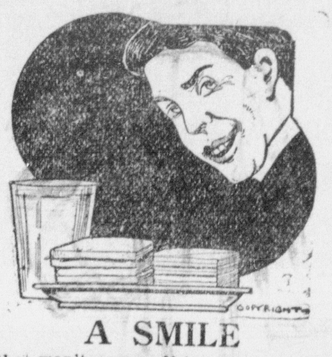
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CITY AND COUNTY

Leslie Vieira was among the excursionists to Chicago.

Alfred Anderson of Chapin was a visitor in the city Thursday.

N. T. Fox of Sinclair was a visitor in Jacksonville Thursday.

J. W. Blimling of Concord was in the city trading yesterday.

Mrs. Celia Land of Greenfield was shopping in the city Thursday.

Miss Anna Duer of Waverly is the guest of Miss Louise Guyette.

Sam Butler of the Woodson precinct was o visitor in the city yesterday.

Harley Hitch of White Hall was calling on friends in the city Thursday.

L. B. Smith of Concord was among the Thursday visitors in the city.

Pure Georges codfish at Weber's.

W. T. Gordley of Virginia was a business caller in the city Thursday.

Leslie Dodsworth was a Thursday visitor in the city from Franklin.

Frank Beaumeister of Sinclair was in the city on business Thursday.

Mrs. Newman and son of Griggsville were calling in the city Thursday.

Miss Lois Taylor of Bluffs was a shopper in Jacksonville Thursday.

Mrs. Charles R. Lewis of North Church street is visiting friends in Chicago.

D. G. Claus and son John were business visitors in Scott county Thursday.

Val Harling of Arenzville was among the Thursday business callers in the city.

Mrs. Kate Scroll of Meredosia was among the shoppers in the city yesterday.

Roy. Stice of Prentice was among the business callers in Jacksonville Thursday.

William Baxter of the Antioch neighborhood was trading in the city yesterday.

G. H. Wike of Barry was among the business callers in the city Thursday.

New raisins, currents, citron, lemon and orange peel, figs and dates, Weber's Grocery.

W. S. Corsa of White Hall was transacting business in the city Thursday.

J. L. McKee of Chillicothe, Mo., was a Thursday business caller in the city.

Bert Fitzsimmons of Woodson was doing some trading in the city yesterday.

Miss Catherine Schroll of Meredosia was shopping in the city Thursday.

Charles Mathews from northeast of the city was a visitor in town Thursday.

Dr. Carl E. Black has returned from a business trip to Winona and Chicago.

George Beiser of New Berlin was transacting business in the city Thursday.

Scott Patterson of Oakford was among the business callers in the city Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Flinn from east of town were visitors in the city Thursday.

J. E. Allen of rural route three, near Lynnville, was shopping in town yesterday.

William Barber of Concord was among the Thursday business callers in the city.

A market Dec. 5, at Johnson & Hacketts.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter McCormick have gone to Citronelle, Alabama to spend the winter.

Try a gallon of our New York sweet cider. Weber's Grocery.

William A. Tarzwell of the Buckhorn neighborhood was trading in the city Thursday.

V. O. Williams of Bradley, Ill., was among the business callers in the city Thursday.

Mrs. Charles Stevenson of Virginia was among the shoppers in the city Thursday.

Raymond Kelley is here from Iowa to make a visit with his father, Milton Kelley.

Mrs. James Hembrough was a city visitor yesterday from the Asbury neighborhood.

Charles P. O'Donnell of Winchester was among the business callers in the city Thursday.

Miss Ella Walker has returned from Hillview where she has been nursing some sick.

Irvin Coultas, sheriff of Scott county was among the business callers in the city Thursday.

John F. Jordan and daughter were in from the Ebenzer neighborhood, shopping Thursday.

Mrs. Charles Hart and Miss Dorothy Sargent of Franklin were shopping in the city Thursday.

Martin Gehring of Oakford, Ill., has moved to Jacksonville and resides on South East street.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Abbott of White Hall were among the Thursday visitors in Jacksonville.

G. B. Rawlings and daughter Mrs. Ernest Walters from Arnold were visitors in the city Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Davidson and their son of Joy Prairie were shopping in the city Thursday.

F. F. Clark of the Farmers' & Traders' bank in Manchester was in the city on business Thursday.

Mrs. Curtis Scott, Miss Marie Austin and Miss Dorothy Sargent of Franklin were shopping in the city Thursday.

Mrs. Frank Crow has returned to her home in Beardstown after a visit with her sister, Mrs. Walter Haley.

James D. McCarty, who is a musician on the battleship North Dakota, is visiting with relatives in Jacksonville.

Mrs. William Short of Peoria is a guest at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Sperry, on Doolin avenue.

Robert Smith is among the excursionists to Chicago.

New Norwegian mackerel at Weber's.

Misses Rose and Charlotte Lazenby of the Lynnville vicinity were among the ladies shopping in the city Thursday.

Miles Fitzpatrick of Scott County and his brother, J. W. Fitzpatrick of Lynnville were visitors in Jacksonville Thursday.

Mrs. William Benson and daughter, Miss Freda of Beardstown were among the out of town shoppers in the city Thursday.

Julius Strawn of Strawn's Crossing and John Strawn of Franklin were among the business callers in the city Thursday.

Misses Alice and Mary Wadsworth left yesterday afternoon for Moline to make a visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Green.

Walter Braner, H. E. Ogle and Thomas Lacey of the Grace Chapel neighborhood were business visitors in the city Thursday.

J. W. Woods has returned from New Salem from which place he shipped a car load of horses for war purposes to Chicago.

Harry T. Craig, son of W. T. Craig of Woodson arrived home Thursday from North Dakota, where he has been since last spring.

William Newman, Jr. was a business visitor in St. Louis Thursday.

Charles Bundy is visiting with home folks. He has been employed at Roodhouse.

Valentine Leher of Chambersburg was in the city Thursday to see his daughter who is a patient at Passavant hospital.

Mrs. Wilbur Kitner and children of Larimore, Missouri, are visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John R. Henry of Woodson.

J. G. Wesner of Concord was in the city Thursday. He was a patient at Dr. Day's hospital and is recovering from his illness very nicely.

Fresh bulk oysters at Weber's.

J. L. Andrews, who was in the city on business connected with the B. P. Andrews and Sons fire loss, returned Thursday to his home in Canton.

Douglas Pyatt who is here from Lyons, Kan., for a visit with home folks is spending a few days at the home of his sister, Mrs. Eli Kreigh in Springfield.

The residence of John Devlin on North East street which was damaged by fire about two months since, has been put in good condition and is again occupied by the family.

Elmer Smith, Thomas Lacey, Harry Ogle, Douglas Turley, Walter Braner, George Taylor and Fred Braner were Jacksonville visitors yesterday from the Bend neighborhood.

Harry Craig of Webster, N. D., is visiting with home folks in Woodson. Mr. Craig has recently had erected on farm of a section of land, a grain elevator of good dimensions for storage of grain of his own raising.

J. C. Miller, wire chief for the Central Union Telephone company, yesterday purchased from C. N. Priest a five-passenger Ford car. Mr. Miller will use it not only for pleasure but also in the business in which he is engaged.

John D. Adams, residing on South Main street, is able to be out again, though he finds it necessary to use crutches. Some two months ago he suffered an injury to one of his feet and blood poisoning developed. Mr. Adams is a fence builder and the accident to his foot was received while in the performance of his daily routine work.

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The work of figuring up stock and going over the accounts of B. P. Andrews Sons is progressing well and Mr. Andrews says that the adjustment of the loss from the recent fire will be made some time next week. Mr. Bentley, special representative of the insurance companies was in the city Thursday and will return Tuesday to complete the work.

ATTENTION M. W. A.

All members of M. W. A. Unity Grove Camp No. 132 are requested to attend the annual election tonight.

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FUNERAL OF MRS. FRANK EADES IS HELD AT RESIDENCE THURSDAY

Services are Attended by a Large Number of Relatives and Friends —Interment is Made in Jacksonville Cemetery.

Funeral services for Mrs. Frank Eades, which were held at the late residence, 316 West Reid street, Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock, were attended by a large number of relatives and friends. Members of the Rebekahs attended in a body.

Music was furnished by a quartet comoposed of Mrs. Wallace Brockman, Miss Cora Graham, Frank Bracewell and C. L. Mathis, who sang, "One Sweetly Solemn Thought" "Sometime We'll Understand" and "Beautiful Isle of Somewhere". The services were conducted by Rev. M. L. Pontius, pastor of Central Christian church, of which the deceased was a member. Rev. Mr. Pontius first read passages from the book of Revelations and then offered prayer. He took for his theme the words from Scripture, "She is not dead, but sleepeth"—that death is but the passing from this life into the next, a temporary separation—and delivered a most comforting discourse to the members of the bereaved family. There was an abundance of beautiful flowers which were cared for by Mrs. Spencer Self and Mrs. James McBride.

Interment was made in Jacksonville cemetery and the committment services were in charge of the Rebekhas. The bearers were Spencer Self, James Woods, James McBride, Everett Conlee, Richard Murgatroyd and J. A. Crum.

Among those from a distance who were here to attend the funeral were Mr. and Mrs. William Pollins, Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Eades and Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Eades of Peoria and Mrs. Griffith of Bloomington.

A TRIBUTE TO MRS EADES.

We weep for her, no tenderer wife,
e'er made man's fireside bright;
No more devoted mother love
E'er kept home altar fires alight,
And she is with the angel host,
With sinless heart and stainless hand,
Waiting to meet friends to come,
To that bright and happy land.

Farewell, dear; but not forever,
There will be a glorious dawn;
We shall meet to part—no never!
On the resurrection morn.
Tho' thy darling form lies sleeping
In the cold and silent tomb,
Thou shalt have a glorious waking
When the blessed Lord doth come.

Weep not that her toils are over,
Weep not that her race is run
God grant we may rest as calmly
When our work, like her's, is done.
'Til then we yield with gladness
Our friend to Him to keep,
And rejoice in the sweet assurance,
He giveth His loved one sleep.

A friend.

Get a Violin for Xmas. J. P Brown, Music House.

CASE IS CONTINUED.

The case of the people vs James Leake, charged with burglary and larceny, was continued by agreement in Squire Dyer's court until December 14. The complaining witness is Walter Braner.

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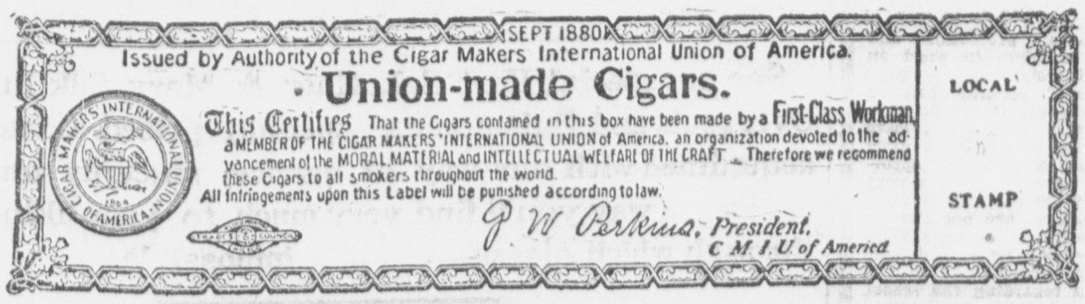
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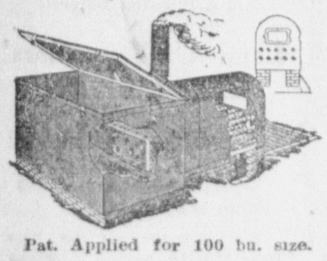
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WALTER JOHNSON SIGNS WITH CHICAGO FEDERAL LEAGUE CLUB

Pitcher Confirms Weeghman's Statement and Says Salary is More Than $16,000 a Year.

Chicago, Dec. 3.—That Walter Johnson, premier pitcher of the American League has signed a contract with the Chicago Federal League Club was the announcement made by Charles Weeghman, president of the local club, late today. Mr. Weeghman said he had received word of the signing of the player by a long distance telephone message from Joe Tinker who conferred with Johnson in Coffeyville, Kans., today.

It was declared that Johnson's contract was for two years. The amount of his salary was not announced.

Johnson Confirms Statement.

Kansas City, Mo., Dec. 3—Walter Johnson over the telephone from his Kansas farm confirmed late today the statement of President Weeghman of the Chicago Federals that he had been signed by the Chicago club for two years but refused to say what his salary was to be.

"Is it more than $16,000 a year?" he was asked.

"It is", said the pitcher, then found himself telling and announced that the figure should properly be announced by Mr. Weeghman.

"I had a long conference with Manager Tinker today", continued Johnson. "He made me a very interesting offer—quite the best I have yet received—and I took him up. That's all. I'm ready to report for Chicago whenever they want men."

Immediately after their conference Tinker took a train for Chicago and Johnson motored back to his farm.

Salary Calls for $20,000 a Year.

St. Louis, Dec. 3.—Twenty thousand dollars a year is the salary called for in Walter Johnson's two year contract with the Chicago club in the Federal baseball league, according to the so-called "inside story" of the deal given out by Phil Ball, vice-president of the St. Louis Federal League club here tonight. The St. Louis Federal League club engineered the deal whereby Chicago got Johnson's signature declared the local baseball magnate.

"Our price for obtaining Johnson for Chicago was Eddie Plank."

SENATORS WILL FIGHT AGAINST JOHNSON GOING TO FEDERALS

Griffin Says he had an Option on the Pitcher's Services for Another Year—Will "Sue Him to the end of the Earth."

Washington, Dec. 3.—Walter Johnson will not go to the Federal League without a fight in the courts with the Washington American team of which he has been the hope and mainstay for seven years. Manager Clark Griffith learing tonight without great surprise but with frankly admitted regret of the famous pitcher's deal with the Chicago Federals declared he had an option on Johnson's services for another year and would "sue him to the end of the earth" before he would allow it to be broken.

"There was a provision in the 1914 contract," said Griffith, "whereby I obtained an option on Johnson's services for the 1915 season. Twenty five hundred dollars of the $12,000 salary which he has received was given for the specific purpose of reserving an option in 1915 upon Johnson. I am convinced that he has violated the agreement and I will sue him to the end of the earth before I acknowledge his right to sign with the Federals."

Speculation as to the effect Johnson's action would have upon other players of the Washington team were rife here tonight. It has been rumored that Clyde Milan, center fielder and Johnson's closest friend might go to the Federal camp.

GIVE PHOTOS THIS CHRISTMAS FROM SPIETH'S STUDIO.

WITH THE SICK.

J. T. Dewees is very ill at his home north of Alexander.

John Kehoe of Howe street, who has been convalescent and about a week ago suffered a relapse, is in a critical condition and his chances of recovery are slight.

VALUABLE LESSONS IN CIVIC SURVEY

CLUB WOMEN OBSERVE POINTS OF INTEREST TO JACKSONVILLE.

Exhibit Which Closed Yesterday in State Arsenal at Springfield Contained Suggestions Which Bear on City Improvement Here—Charts May be Brought from Capital.

That the Springfield survey, although concerned primarily with affairs in the capital, contains much of direct interest to the people of Jacksonville is apparent from observations made a few days since by representatives of the Jacksonville Womans club and the Civic League who visited the exhibits in the state arsenal and took note of the many facts regarding schools, public health and recreation, home and working conditions and city government there exhibited in graphic form. Springfield, although larger than Jacksonville by several thousands, has with this city many problems in common and questions which confront the municipal government, the board of education, the various charitable organizations and the parents and tax-payers of the one city are of no less interest to the other as well.

The Jacksonville organizations will make an effort to secure some of the exhibits and show then in this city and thus give to people here opportunity to gain a conception of the purpose and magnitude of an up-to-date civic survey. Although in charge of experts from the Russel Sage Foundation of New York City, the survey was initiated by Springfield people and carried through by the assistance of a large number of Springfield citizens. The exhibition was opened Monday, Nov. 23 and was brought to a close Thursday. A number of other Jacksonville people aside from the Woman's club and the Civic League members saw the exhibit and all were equally enthusiastic over the results of this work of "municipal diagnosis."

Three of the reports, those on housing, schools and recreation, have been prepared in book form. Others will follow at a later date. During the exhibit assistance was given by motion pictures and by classes of children who illustrated ideas in directed play and demonstrated modern methods in manual training and drawing.

Misfits in School.

In the school survey it is shown that the per cent of children overage or in some way irregular in their course is very large and that provisions for the exceptional child are inadequate in all schools. It says: "A majority of the children begin school at the age of six and so the first grades are largely made up of six-year-old children. If a child enters at the age of eight or nine or if he enters earlier and remains two or three years in the first grade he is almost certain to become a misfit in his class. He needs a different kind of teaching and a different sort of treatment from the other children and his presence renders the teacher's work harder and its results poorer. There are 1,469 over-age children in the elementary schools of Springfield which is 24 per cent of the average attendance. Of this number there are 235 more boys than girls. Only 21 per cent of the girls are in this group as against 27 per cent of the boys. As both boys and girls enter at the same ages, this indicates that the boys make slower progress.

"In every large school system classes should be organized for certain types of exceptional children. Since Springfield has not yet undertaken this work it should begin by making special provision for those so seriously retarded that it is evident that they cannot profit by the instruction in the regular classes.

When Pupils Leave School.

"Careful computations have been made as to the ages at which children leave school. The results show that practically all of them remain until they are 13 years old. By the time they are 14, one-fourth of them leave. Half of them drop out before they are 15, two-thirds before they are 16, three fourths before they are 17, and nine-tenths before they are 18.

"Comparisons between the progress made by boys and girls discloses a seriously important condition. The girls make better progress than the boys, they stay in school longer and a greater proportion of them graduate. Quite unconsciously the schools of this city have developed a course of study, a system of examinations, promotions and methods of teaching—in short an entire school system—better fitted for the needs of the girls than for the boys. The experience in other cities show that when boys leave school in large numbers at early ages it is not because the opportunities for securing employment are especially attractive, but because the schools are not offering them work which holds their interest and impresses them or their parents as worth while."

Other facts regarding the school system had to do with the lighting, the school plant in general, the personnel of the teaching force and the quality of class-room instruction. Lighting conditions were found to be bad and most of the schoolrooms were found to be overheated. The maximum temperature allowed in school rooms should be 68 degrees and most of the rooms were found at times to exceed this. Fire dangers were found in some buildings, and bar-locks, such as used on the new eight grade building in this city, were recommended for all outside doors.

Social Center Activity.

A woman's club member spoke especially of an electric chart showing the recreations of Springfield. During the night hours all saloons, billiard halls, moving pictures theaters were shown lighted while the schools, churches, etc., were dark. This brings up the question of the use of the school plant as a recreation center and in this regard the report says: "The board of education can do a great deal to facilitate the social center work by making a few inexpensive alterations in various rooms and adding suitable equipment. Practically all the schools have basement rooms that are capable of use for games, reading, club meetings or some other recreative purpose. Several class rooms in each buliding could be made available for evening social purposes by taking out the fixed desks and seats and installing movable furniture. The generous corridors possessed by most of the Springfield schools are admirably adapted for small dances, group games, folk dances and many other forms of indoor diversion. Every school should be provided with an assembly room as soon as possible. The school yards of Springfield properly laid out and equipped would provide play centers such as few small cities have been able to secure even at great expense."

WINCHESTER.

Revival services began at the Christian church Thursday night in charge of the pastor, the Rev. E. G. Prewitt. J. W. Seniss of Pittsfield will have charge of the music.

Charles Quintal of Naples was a business visitor in the city Thursday.

Mrs. Thomas Ross and daughter, Miss Edna, are visiting relatives in Vermont, Ill.

H. H. Budke has returned to Des Moines, Ia., after a visit with his family in the city.

Mrs. Alice Welch has gone to Beardstown for a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Chester Brownlow.

Mrs. A. P. Grout and Miss Mary Woodall are visitors in Chicago.

Children of the first and second grades will give an entertainment tonight in the grade school auditorium.

GOOD VAUDEVILLE BILL.

The Portia sisters, five in number, heralded as great equilibrists, opened a three day engagement at the Grand last night, and proved fully equal to the excellent advance notices given about them. The act is very classy and was thoroughly appreciated by Grand patrons last night.



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ENGLISH OFFICER REVIEWS SITUATION

NO PROGRESS HAS BEEN MADE BY EITHER SIDE.

Greater Share of Common Task of Opposing the Enemy Falls to the French—Belgians Play An Almost Vital Part.

London, Dec. 3.—Col. E. D. Swinton of the intelligence department of the general staff of the British expeditionary force in France and Belgium, in a narrative dated November 26th, gives a general review of the development of the situation of the force for six weeks preceding that date.

There has recently been a lull in the active operations, he says, no progress has been made by either side and yet there has come about an important modification comprising a re-adjustment in the scope of the part played by the British army as a whole. He explains the movement from the river Aisne to the Belgian frontier to prolong the left flank of the French army and says that in attempting this the British force was compelled to assume responsibility for a very extended section of the front. He points out, as did General French, commander-in-chief of the British forces, that the British held only one twelfth of the line so that the greater share of the common task of opposing the enemy, fell and still falls to the French, while the Belgians played an almost vital part.

With the fall of Antwerp the Germans made every effort to push forward a besieging force toward the west and hastened to bring up a new army corps which has been hastily raised and trained their object being to drive the allies out of Belgium and break through to Dunkirk and Calias.

Altogether they had a quarter of a million fresh men. Eventually the Germans had north of LaBashe about fourteen corps and eight cavalry divisions, that is "a force of three quarters of a million of men with which to attempt to drive the allies into the sea."

In addition there was immensely powerful armament and heavy siege artillery which also had been brought up from around Antwerp.

The official eye-witness tells of the blows delivered by the Germans at Nieuport, Dixmude and Ypres, where "at first the allies were greatly outnumbered" for a whole month the British army around Ypres succeeded in holding its ground against repeated onslaughts made by vastly superior forces.

The writer goes into details of the German attacks and describes how they were frustrated by the allies. The British force says Col. Swinton, which consisted all along of the same units, had "to withstand an almost continuous bombardment and to meet one desperate assault after another, each carried out by fresh units from the large numbers with which the Germans were devoting to the operation.

Finally the French came to their assistance and "never was help more welcome for by then our small local reserves had been again and again thrown into the fight in the execution of counter attacks and our men were exhausted by the incessant fighting."

The British front now has been considerably shortened and in addition has been reinforced while a lull in the activity has enabled the commanders to readjust their forces, strengthen their positions and bring up reserves. There has therefore "been a great general improvement in the conditions under which we are carrying on the fight."

Of the fighting which preceded this re-organization the writer says it was due solely to the resource, initiative and endurance of the regimental officers and men that success has laid with the British.

PREMIER EXPLAINS ITALY'S SITUATION

ADVISES MAINTENANCE OF ARMED NEUTRALITY.

Italian Parliament Opens With Large Gathering of Deeply Interested Spectators—Whole Chamber Applauds for Belgium.

Rome, Dec. 3.—The Italian parliament opened today. The sittings of both the chamber of deputies and the senate were witnessed by a large gathering or deeply interested spectators.

Among those present were the former premiers, Giolitti, Luzzatti and Pelloux. The diplomatic tribune was overcrowded.

Premier Salandra made a statement in which he explained the situation of Italy and advised that she maintain an attitude of royal but watchful and armed neutrality. He was frequently applauded.

When Premier Salandra alluded to what he termed the just aspirations of Italy, the whole extreme left arose, crying "viva Trent, viva Triest."

The spectators in the tribunes joined in the demonstration.

The premier's statement was interrupted frequently with applause. It was noticed that former Premier Giolitti joined with the deputies in their expressions of approval.

As the session was about to adjourn Deputy Commandini said that he wished to ask the chamber to send greetings to "heroic and unfortunate Belgium."

The whole chamber, including the president, the ministers and the people in the tribunes, arose and shouted:

"Hurrah, Belgium."

Premier Salandra said in his statement that the European conflict broke out suddenly without involving Italy directly and in spite of her efforts to avert the war for the sake of peace and civilization. A careful study of her treaty obligations and the causes of the conflict convinced the government that Italy was not called upon to participate and she accordingly declared her neutrality.

In view of the necessity of protecting Italian interests however, a declaration of neutrality alone was not sufficient to safeguard the country against contingencies which might arise in consequence of such an enormous upheaval. The political divisions of the continents of Europe, the premier pointed out, were perhaps about to be modified. Italy, he added, has vital interests to protect and justly if she is to maintain her position as a great power and to preserve intact her policies. She must therefore be watchful, powerful and ready for any eventuality. Thus the supreme task of the government was to bring the army and navy to a state of preparedness since when law ceases to govern the only safety of a nation is in force. Italy had no plans for aggression but must be ready to protect herself against aggression on the part of others.

The premier announced that economic conditions had been ameliorated. He asked that the people be ready to make any sacrifice and that conflicting political and economic aspirations be set aside for the time being by all parties, groups and classes, since at the present time the soliditary of all elements was essential. The government would consider it entirely improper, he said, to consider solely the policies of any one party and accordingly requested the patriotic co-operation of all members of parliament, that it might possess the strength necessary to accomplish the hard task before it.

Servians Lose Heavily.

Berlin, by wireless to London, Dec. 3.—Nineteen thousand Servian prisoners have been taken since the Austrians began the present offensive movement, according to a report received here today from Vienna. News from other sources indicated that Servia's casualties since the beginning of the war will reach about 100,000 or virtually one third of her entire strength. Reports of further Servian defeats to the east of Kolubara, Lidj rivers tend to confirm the prediction of military observers that the end of the Servian resistance cannot be far off.

Von Moltke Confers with Chiefs.

Berlin, by wireless to London, Dec. 3.—Field Marshall Count Helmuth vonMoltke the chief of the German general staff who has been in ill health, today conferred in Berlin with a number of high military dignitaries from the German headquarters in the field.

Honors General Frank.

Vienna, via Amsterdam and London, Dec. 3.—Emperor Francis Joseph of Austria today bestowed the grand cross of the Leopold Order on General Liborius Frank for distinguished service in the field.

Russia Purchases Tanks.

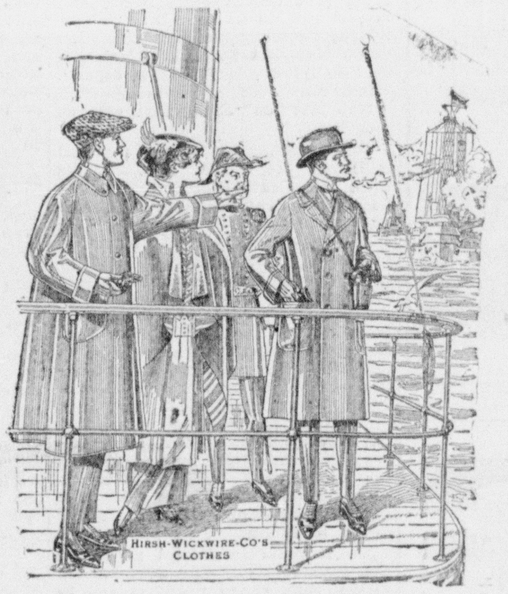
New York, Dec. 3.—The Russian government has purchased here 50,000 fifty-five gallon, air-tight, steel tanks at a cost of approximately $250,000 to be used in constructing pontoon bridges in their military operations, according to a statement issued this afternoon by the manufacturers.

The first shipment is to go forward next Saturday it was said. The entire lot, under the terms of the contract must be shipped not later than January 15th.

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NOTABLE SPEAKERS ON CIVIC WORK.

New York, Dec. 3.—The women civic workers, who today held their own session to discuss the feminine phase of civic problems, will join with the men's sessions tomorrow, when President Seth Low will formally open the annual meeting of the National Civic Federation in the Hotel Astor. Notable speakers will be John Hays Hammond, on unemployment in the winter; Judge Alton B. Parkers on limitations of free speech and public assembly; Vincent Astor on the effectiveness of pure food and drug laws; Miss Maude Wetmore on women's welfare work; William R. Wilcox on employers' welfare work; and Roland P. Falkner on the social survey of the last generation.

Tomorrow afternoon's session will be a general discussion of government ownership of railroads, telephone, telegraph and municipal utilities. Social insurance comes up Saturday morning, with George W. Perkins presiding. A galaxy of speakers will talk on preparedness for war, on Saturday afternoon.

EMBEZZLEMENT CHARGED.

Duluth, Minn., Dec. 3.—The adjourned embezzlement cases against two township officers, Edward Evenson and Joseph Odgers, were called for trial today. Both men pleaded not guilty when they were arraigned on Nov. 14, and they nave since then been out on bail.

Evenson is chairman and Odgers is clerk of the township board. They were arrested at Hurley, Wisconsin, on embezzlement charges. Evenson is charged by D. J. Shea, a taxpayer, with having converted to his own use $602.74 of the township funds while serving as township treasurer, in January, 1912. Odgers is charged with having appropriated $140 of the town's funds while he also served as township treasurer. The charges are based on an examination of the township books just completed by an auditor from the state commissioner's office.

WISCONSIN SUFFRAGISTS MEET.

Milwaukee, Dec. 3.—The annual convention of the Wisconsin Woman's Suffrage Association opened here today, and will continue Friday and Saturday. A big gathering of prominent women from all over the state and from outside cities was welcomed by the mayor. Rev. Olympia Brown delivered the invocation, and addresses were made by Sophie Gudden of Oshkosh, Theodore Youmans of Waukesha and Helen H. Haight of Waukesha. Legislative measures are to be discussed by Belle Case La Follette, Ada L. James, and Mrs. George Bass of Chicago.

Tomorrow a peace meeting will be held, at which John M. Whitehead, president of the Wisconsin Peace Society, will be principal speaker. Mrs. Pethick Lawrence of England will speak at the same meeting on the constructive work of women for universal peace.

All of the meetings are open to the public, and they are attracting a large attendance.

CLOSE GALESBURG STOCK YARDS.

Galesburg, Ill., Dec. 3.—The discovery of additional cases of foot and mouth disease in Knox county today caused government officials to order the Galesburg stock yards closed again. Stock worth $3,000 on John Mathew's farm near Yates City was killed. The Galesburg yards had just opened after being under quarantine.

YOUTH DIES FOR TRIPLE MURDER

Columbus, O., Dec. 3.—Harley Beard, 19 years old, must die in the electric chair here tomorrow for the confessed murder of three persons at Ironton, Ohio last spring. His appeal to the State Board of Pardons was refused.

Last May, Beard confessed to the Chicago police that he murdered Robert Massey, his sister Mary and their mother, Mrs. Nancy Massey, 80 years old, on a farm at Ironton. Young Beard was employed on the farm, and disappeared after the murder. According to Captain Coughlin of the Chicago police, to whom he confessed the crime, Beard realized the enormity of his crime only after the newspapers printed it with all its horror. The captain declared he had the mentality of a boy of 12. Beard was arrested May 15 at the home of his sister in Chicago.

REPUBLICAN LABOR MEN ORGANIZE.

Boston, Dec. 3.—As a result of the decision of the executive board, which met here recently, a convention will soon be held in Washington for the organization of the National Republican Association of Labor Men. At that meeting national organization work will be planned.

The association plans to cover the entire country within the next few months to extend its membership. The executive council claims that interest is manifested all over the country in the new Republican labor movement, and they are claiming a membership of 250,000 already. It is also claimed by men prominent in the movement that the recent Republican gains were largely due to its activities.

TO OPEN ST. LOUIS EXCHANGE.

St. Louis, Dec. 3.—The St. Louis stock exchange will open next Monday it was announced today by the president of the board of governors.

A committee appointed a week ago has fixed the minimum prices at which securities may be sold on the exchange.

Mrs. T. W. Magner and daughter Mary spent Thursday in Quincy.

NEW POST OFFICE RULING WILL BE AID TO MERCHANTS

Mail Matter Can Be Sent to Rural Route Patrons By Addressing to Box Numbers.

Order No. 8475 recently issued from the office of the postmaster general has been received at the local postoffice and will be of interest to merchants desirous of sending matter to rural route residents and who are unable to secure the correct addresses of residents along the routes. The order reads as follows: "Matter other than registered, insured and c. o. d. mail for delivery by rural carriers which is addressed merely to the box and route number may be delivered to the owner of the box as long as no improper or unlawful business is conducted in this mail. Matter which is unaddressed is undeliverable."

"This new order of things will be a great help to advertisers as they will thus be able to send printed matter to every patron of a rural route without having the list of names. There are so many changes from time to time of the residents along the 26 rural routes in the county that it is practically impossible to keep a correct list of the residents. Heretofore, and at present for that matter, it is not lawful for the postoffice department or for any carrier to furnish a list of names of the patrons of any route and for this reason mailing lists which have not been frequently revised by actual canvass of the routes have grown very much out of date.

All that is necessary now for a merchant who desires to send out printed matter to rural patrons is to secure from the postoffice the number of boxes on each route and then address the mail matter to the box numbers consecutively. Mail of this class must be numbered consecutively and the matter for each route tied separately.

The local office has also received notices from Washington that the parcel post business has been resumed between this country and Germany, and Austria and Hungary. It has also been resumed with France except as to the northern and northeastern points.

Already the local office is receiving Christmas mail and the indications are for a very heavy holiday business. The department and the offices scattered throughout the country all are urging their patrons to mail Christmas matter early. The great increase in the volume of parcel post business will certainly mean late delivery of Christmas packages unless people awaken to the fact that there must be no delay in getting them started to their proper destination. If everybody delays until the last few days before Christmas the confusion is certain to happen.

FASHION'S COLOR DECREE.

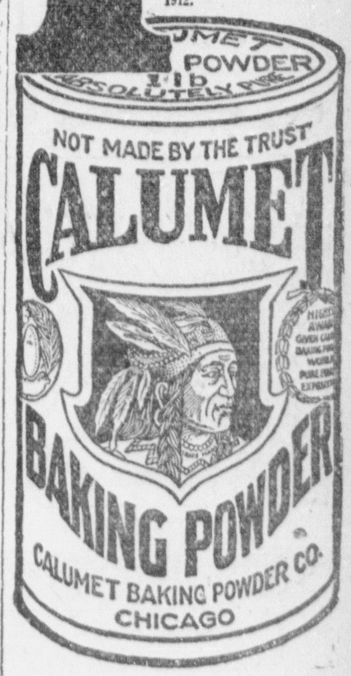
No use to be out of style this winter, if you have a little sandpaper and putty about the house. You can use them on anything from hat to shoes and meet the approval of those who tell us how to dress. Two years ago these sandpaper and putty tints had some popularity in Europe. Then the fashion waned but it has now been revived by well dressed American women. So this winter the "carpented shop" colors will prevail. The weekly style bulletin sent out by the Fashion Art League of America to its members yesterday, said:

"Sandpaper and putty tints are being taken up by smartly dressed women and they will be the prevailing colors for this winter. These tints had some slight vogue in Paris two years ago, but America is reviving them. The smartest fashion in tailored suits calls for a fine covert cloth in the sand or putty shades. Have the skirt short and flaring for slim figures but hte fullness arranged in pleats or slightly bell shape for stout figures and medium short length.

"The short coat has won the day and is being used now by all the best houses as the Fashion Art League predicted the first of October. Women have found out that short coats are smarter, more youthful and give a slenderer appearance with these full skirts than do the long coats with their flaring hems."

J. Bridgeman of Decatur is visiting his nephew, E. Williamson.

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My heart is sore when Binks, the bore, sits down beside my table, and hems and haws, and wags his jaws, and starts to tell a fable. His yarns are old and blue with mould—old Father Noah span them, till Ham nd Shem got tired of them, and told their dad to can them. Old Binks comes in, with sickly grin, when I have tasks unending, and spiels and yawps and never stops till night's shades are descending. No sort of hint will make him sprint, or quit his dreary drooling; and when I say, "Oh, chee, go 'way," he thinks I'm only fooling. The laws correct—they don't protect the busy, hustling fellers, who have to stand, all o'er the land, this plague of story tellers. If one should balk, and kick and knock, in righteous ire and dudgeon, he'll gain repute as surly brute, as cranky, sour curmudgeon. It is a crime to waste the time of busy friends and neighbors, to seek the tents of toiling gents and interrupt their labors. When you begin a yarn to spin, you'll see the folks snort and sniffle; the newest tale is old and stale, and all your yarns are piffle.

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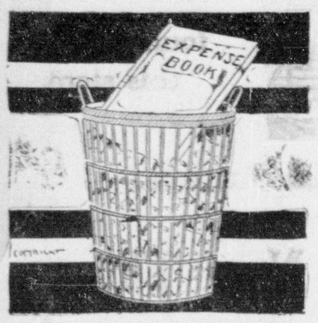
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INDUSTRIAL OPPORTUNITIES ARE CALLED TO NOTICE

Director of Geological Survey Tells About Undeveloped Resources.

Four constituents enter into the reaction that we term industry. Two of these, brain and brawn, are organic compounds and two are perhaps to be regarded as inorganic—money and material. None of these components is wanting here in the United States and in fact their abundance affords the best reason for an optimistic outlook upon the present industrial situation. Of these four constituents, labor and capital and brains are all more easily transported generally than the crude materials upon large tonnages of which the industry must depend. Thus, cheap coal attracts manufacturers just as cheap land attracts farmers.

With distribution of raw material is linked the influence of markets upon the location of industry. The development of transportation systems makes the problem of markets a most complex one. The industrial independence of the small community of a century ago has given way to the system under which your dinner table may represent the tribute from several continents. Even in a country so diversified as ours in its natural bounties domestic production of everything consumed is not desirable nor profitable. Exchange of commodities with foreign countries becomes necessary, so it follows that industrial independence is the goal toward which a nation should face, but not a goal which it should have either the intention or desire to attain.

To increase industrial prosperity this country needs to export finished rather than crude products and to import raw materials rather than manufactures. It is the product of American labor rather than the bounty of our natural resources that preferably should go into the world's markets. As the engineers of America study this matter of expansion of manufacturing, it becomes evident that the distribution of raw material and of power is the key to industrial opportunities.

Petroleum and natural gas in their distribution in some degree supplement coal. Thus, the largest oil field both in present production and probable reserve is in California, a state with only negligible coal resources. Taken together, these mineral fuels constitute a national asset comparable with the soil resources of this country, but the larger part of the value of the natural gas, petroleum, and coal to the nation is in their relation to manufactures.

The wide distribution of ores of the principal metals sufficiently rich and extensive to be mined in large quantities means that the metallurgical industry is important on both the Pacific and the Atlantic seaboard, in most of the Rocky Mountain states as well as in several of the Middle states. Even in the two metals which at once suggest to us centralization—copper and steel—there is widespread production. In the mining of copper last year 23 states contributed, and no less than 28 states furnished iron ores to the furnaces of the country.

The raw material resources of this country are so widely distributed that industry has been developing at this rapid pace at many points. The tendency is away from geographic centralization of industry rather than toward it. A few opportunities for expansion need only to be suggested: the South with its happy combination of coal and iron-ore in the same districts makes pig-iron production possible at minimum cost; the West with its hydro-electric possibilities available as a source of relatively cheap power for chemical and metallurgical industries; the Rocky Mountain region with its vast unutilized sources of sulphuric acid and equally great unmined stores of phosphate rock.

The ingredients necessary for producing prosperity appear at hand. The new financial system already promises more mobile credits. A more sympathetic attitude of the public toward big industrial operations is indicated. The efficiency of American labor and American engineering was never questioned.

In any estimate of American ability to make the most of the present opportunities for industrial expansion, no better measure of the inventive genius of this country can perhaps be found than in a moment's review of what is making the European war so terrible. Strictly neutral may we be, yet from the heights above to the depths below we find American inventions "at the front"—the aeroplane, the magazine rifle and machine gun, the barbed wire, and the submarine and its torpedo. Can not our nation lead as well in fashioning the tools of peace as in designing the machines of war?

OPENS LARGE TRACT TO HOMESTEAD ENTRY.

Washington, Dec. 3—Orders were issued today by Secretary Lane, opening to homestead entry more than 560,000 acres of Western Public lands which have been determined to be non-irrigable. After Jan. 11th, 1915 the lands may be taken up in tracts of 320 acres each under the enlarged homestead act. More than 300,000 acres of the property involved lies in Central and Eastern Oregon, Wasco, Crook and Grant counties. In Montana there are about 100,000 acres mostly in Chouteau, Fergus and Custer counties and more than 160,000 acres are located in New Mexico, Gaudalupe, Roosevelt and Chavas counties.

Misses Fern Godfrey and Velma Davies, of Passavant hospital, are visiting in Chicago.

AMERICANS ARE ASKED TO AID BELGIAN DOLLAR CHRISTMAS FUND

Conditions in "Little Nation" Are Said to be Unspeakable and Suffering is Widespread.

The committee which is raising the "Dollar Christmas Fund for Homeless Belgians" has issued through Henry Clews, treasurer, an appeal directed to all Americans wherein the great need in Belgiaum is set forth. The committee includes many well known men and they ask that contributions no matter how small be sent to the committee, later to be forwarded to Belgium for distribution on Christmas day. Newspapers are also asked to receive contributions which are to be forwarded to "Treasurer, Dollar Christmas Fund for Homeless Belgians, Board street, New York" or to Percy S. Bullen, secretary of the "Dollar Christmas Fund," 66 Broadway, New York.

The appeal sent out by the committee is in part as follows:

"In view of the countless appeals both national and local which have been made to American sympathy in behalf of the victims of the war one can only plead the immeasurable extent and pathos of the Belgian tragedy to warrant the addition of still another to the list. And the poignant sorrow of the situation is not lessened by the thought that the sum total of all the funds collected here and in Europe can only be in a very small part—so vast and increasing is the need—assuage the sufferings of Belgium's unhappy people while no money contribution whatever can atone for the loss of Louvain and a source of fair Belgian cities lately radiant with the splendor and glory of centuries.

"The Dollar Christmas Fund in behalf of which I appeal as treasurer, is a cause which should find a warm response in the hearts of all Americans doubly blessed in their isolation and detachment from the vortex of horrors and bloodshed and agony of the battlefields in Europe. It is an effort organized with the approval and support of some of our most respected and representative citizens to capitalize a portion of our Christmas bounty and good will in behalf of the most afflicted and destitute of Belgium's stricken population, the committee including Prof. Henry Fairfield Osborn, Melville E. Stone, Col. George T. Harvey, George T. Wilson and Dr. Wm. T. Hornady. No matter how numerous and insistent the appeals for aid, Americans, I feel sure, will not refuse to subscribe to a fund which will help during the Christmas season to spread a ray of sunshine over the homeless refugees of a storm-tossed country. This Dollar Christmas Fund appeals to one and all irrespective of creed or race and more especially to those who have not yet contributed to any existing fund. It is in complete sympathy with every other appeal in behalf of Belgian refugees and differs from other appeals only in the sense that the total sum received will be forwarded as a special Christmas contribution from the people of this country to the destitute people of Belgium, an expression of sympathy with sorrow from one people to another and a tangible proof that Christmas good will even in these days of strife and bloodshed has not disappeared from the earth.

It is estimated that close upon two million people with breaking hearts have fled from their country leaving shattered homes and hopes behind. The flight of the innocent, the unfortunate, the women and children, the aged and the helpless, from their Fatherland presents one of the most agonizing and appalling pictures of human misery in the annals of history ancient or modern. Two hundred thousand have found a home in England, other thousands are in Holland and still other unnumbered thousands are wandering in France. The record of misery compiled from imperfect statistical information is still far from complete but it may be said with absolute truth that despite all governmental assistance and private charity in Europe there are still many thousands of families in actual want. And the number tends rather to increase than diminish. It is for these distressed ones we make special appeal to one and all to send a dollar—more if you can—as a special Christmas gift from America. Such a gift will surely be remembered by the beneficiaries long after the war has ceased and no man's Thanksgiving or Christmas day will be the less happy because in some cases the gift may entail some measure of personal sacrifice.

In England a similar fund called "The Shilling Christmas Fund" has been started. Lord Burnham is the president and he has cabled that the "conditions of want are unspeakable." All the money collected here, as in England, will be presented at Christmas and will be applied for purposes of relief in the way of food and shelter after consultation with the officials of the Belgian government. We hope with your aid to remember every distressed Belgian man and woman, not forgetting the fatherless babies—"The Orphans of War." I repeat, therefore, with great earnestness, send along your dollar bill—and send more if you can!"

STATE MAY FIND JOBS.

Tacoma, Wash., Dec. 3—With the closing today of the private employment agencies, brought about by public vote on the initiative measure at the recnt election, a movement has been started for the establishment of state employment agencies in the larger cities, similar to the state agencies in Massachusetts. The recommendation will be one of the features of the annual report of State Labor Commissioner Olson, and it is expected that the proposition will be brought before the session of the Legislature this winter.

AN EYE TO BUSINESS.

Mme. Strauss Saw a Chance For Profit That Her Husband Missed.

A little story told by Les Annales shows that Mme. Strauss, the wife of Richard Strauss, the composer, is a woman with a keen business sense. It is perhaps she who has made her husband's reputation as the shrewdest dealer among musicians.

One day a young musician called on Strauss and asked permission to play for him a parody on the famous composer's "Salome." Strauss granted the request. When the young man had finished Strauss was enthusiastic in his approval. "Very droll, very droll!" he cried. "It will be a success, a great success! I congratulate you."

As the young musician was on the point of leaving Mme. Strauss entered, and her husband at once began an enthusiastic explanation. "This young gentleman," he cried, "has just composed a parody on 'Salome,' a truly remarkable piece of work."

Mme. Strauss raised her eyebrows. "What terms have you made?" she asked in a low voice.

"Why, no terms."

"That is no way to do. Demand 25 per cent royalties."

And, turning to the writer of the parody, Mme. Strauss advised him, with seemingly maternal solicitude, to accept the advantageous offer that the master was willing to make him. Thus it came about that the parody on "Salome," which, as M. Strauss prophesied, was very successful, proved a source of considerable income for the Strausses.

MODERN FACTORY METHODS.

An Illustration of the Efficiency of Scientific Management.

Writing in the American Magazine on the development of the modern factory under the new principles of scientific management, Miss Ida M. Tarbell describes the importance of keeping tools and materials in order in the workshop and tells the following story:

"The promptness and sureness with which a part can be located under this system I once saw illustrated in an interesting way at the Watertown arsenal. Lieutenant Colonel Wheeler, the commanding officer, told me to select a piece in any one of the gun carriages under construction and we would take the number of it to the office and ask the clerk to tell us where that particular piece was.

"In five minutes after we had given him the number he had located the piece. I think it is not an exaggeration to say that if under the old system such a question had been asked of anybody in the Watertown arsenal it would have taken days for them to have answered it, if indeed they ever could have done so.

"As there are fifty different kinds and grades of material and 4,600 different pieces used in a disappearing gun carriage, the advantage of being able to put your hand promptly on material and pieces as well as knowing every night whether you have in stock the quantities of each necessary to carry on work does not need arguing. The gain to workingmen and to management obviously is enormous."

Exploding Ice Bubbles.

The intensely cold nights of Siberia, says a writer, produce a curious phenomenon. Occasionally the silence is broken by a loud report resembling the boom of a cannon. The noise is caused by the bursting of an ice bubble on a river. The streams coming from the hills are incased in ice six to nine inches thick, and as the water descends faster than it escapes through the river the result is a heavy hydrostatic pressure. This first causes the ice upon the river to rise in mounds often six to eight feet high. For a time they seem to yield elastically to the pressure, but finally can withstand no more and burst with an explosive report. The water rushes out, soon freezing, however, and causing further explosions. The writer asserts that he has seen scores of these ice hillocks within a few miles.

Smallest Bird.

The golden crested wren is the smallest, not only of British, but of all European birds. Its average weight is only about eighty grains troy, so that it would take seventy-two of the birds to weigh a pound. The length of the feathers is about three and a half inches and the stretch of the wings about five inches, but when the feathers are taken off the length of the body does not exceed an inch.

One For One.

A woman who had some knowledge of baseball took a friend to a championship contest.

"Isn't that fine?" said the first. "We have a man on every base."

"Why, that's nothing," said the friend. "So have they."—Everybody's

A Miscarried Scheme.

Mother—Why don't you yawn when he stays too long? He'll take the hint and go. Daughter—I did, and he told me what beautiful teeth I had.—Philadelphia Ledger.

Easily Remedied.

Johnny—Maw, I haven't got enough butter for my bread. Mother—Well, then, put some of the bread back.—Boston Transcript.

Started Right Away.

Dentist—When did your teeth first begin troubling you? Patient—When I was cutting them.—Boston Transcript.

Security is mortal's chiefest enemy.—Macbeth.

FINAL BRIEFS FILED IN CAMINETTE-DIGGS CASES

Entire Case Now Under Submission—Discussion Expected Early in Coming Year.

San Francisco, Calif., Dec. 3.—Final briefs in the appeal from conviction of Maury I. Diggs and F. Drew Caminette, under the Mann White Slave Act, are being filed this week in the United States Circuit Court of Appeals. When the arguments were heard, on November 5, Judges Wolverton, Ross and Gilbert granted thirty days for both sides to file additional briefs.

The entire case is now taken under submission, and a decision is not expected before January or February.

Diggs and Caminette were convicted and sentenced to the penitentiary on evidence growing out of their escapade with Martha Warrington and Lola Norris, in which they eloped from Sacramento to Reno, Nevada. In their review of the case, the attorneys for the appellants pointed out that the wife of each of the prisoners knew of the relations of the men with the girls, and that Diggs and Caminette, in order to avoid a scandal brewing in Sacramento, escaped to Reno. Marshall B. Woodworth, former U. S. District attorney, J. T. Cooper, formerly a judge in the California District Court of Appeals, and Robert T. Devlin, former U. S. District Attorney, represent the convicted men. According to their argument, when the party arrived at Reno, they realized the folly of the trip for the first time. Attorney Woodworth argued that the two men were amenable to the laws of Nevada and California, but should not have been reached under the white slave act. Judge Cooper declares that the defendants were not guilty of a violation of the statute as intended by Congress. In citing precedents, he said:

"A similar act was passed in France shortly after the treaty of Paris and under that act there was no prosecution of Lord Nelson for transporting Lady Hamilton to Rome; no prosecution of Madame de Stael; no prosecution of George Sand. George Washington, Alexander Hamilton and Benjamin Franklin would never have held that this regulation would be applied in a case like that of Diggs and Caminette."

The government relies for the constitutionality of the law on the decision of the Supreme Court in the case of Jack Johnson, the colored pugilist.

COMMITTEE FILES REPORT.

Washington, Dec. 3.—The Republican national congressional committee has only $17 in cash on hand after receiving $36,716 in contributions and expending $36,201 on the recent congressional campaign. The committee in filing its report at the capitol today announced the contributions in amounts of less than $100 each aggregated only $5,538, and that the expenses were of a routine character for traveling expenses, headquarters bills, etc.

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WANTED—A small safe. Call Ill. phone 310. 12-2-3t

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FOR RENT—160 acre farm. Illinois phone 1499. 11-19-tf

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FOR RENT—4 room house. Call 302 W. College street. 12-1-tf

FOR RENT—Modern 6 room flat, 300 S. Main St. M. R. Fitch. 11-15-tf

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FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms for light housekeeping. Ill phone 1388. 402 Hardin. 11-15-tf

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FOR RENT—3 nice rooms, 629 Freedman street. Apply 934 Freedman street or phone Ill. 1491. 11-19-tf

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FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Berkshire male hog. Ill. Phone 1202. 10-8-tf

FOR SALE—Good dry cordwood. Illinois phone 0190. 10-9-tf

FOR SALE—Barred rock cockerels. Ill. Phone, 023 1-2. 12-1-6t

FOR SALE—Fresh young Jersey cow. 816 Hardin ave. 12-1-tf

FOR SALE—4 year old driving horse. Call Illinois phone 152. 9-15-tf

FOR SALE—Three Poland China Boars. W. C. Headen, Ill. Phone 031. 11-22-tf

FOR SALE—Choice new Clover seed. E. S. Vasey, Woodson, Ills. Illinois phone. 12-2-6t

FOR SALE—Rose comb Rhode Island Red cockerels, $1.00 each. Ill. phone 0134. 11-22-12t

FOR SALE—Acetylene lighting plant in good order. Apply H. P. Mack, Woodson, Ill. 12-3-3t

FOR SALE—Immune Duroc Jersey boars. David Lomelino, Rural 3, Ill. phone 093. 11-22-12t

FOR SALE—Good light buggy pole; 1 closed top Spider cheap. O. C. Ingram, Cherrys Livery, 12-3-tf

FOR SALE—4 town lots almost given away. $20 buys them; perfect title. Particulars, Lycurgus, 344 W. Court street. 12-4-3t

FOR SALE—Child's bed in good condition. Bell phone 759. 12-4-3t

FOR SALE—McCormick four roll shredder in No. 1 condition. Chas. L. Ranson. Both phones. 11.24-tf

FOR SALE—Leather goods for Christmas, at Harney's, The Leather Goods Man. 215 W. Morgan. 12-2-tf

FOR SALE—Some good Duroc boars cholera immune. L. A. Reed, Ill. phone 072, Jacksonville, Ills. 11-1-tf

FOR SALE—One second sand Favorite cook stove in good condition at 306 West College street. Ill. 518. 12-2-5t

FOR SALE—Newly sawed lumber in any quantity. Send in your bills for estimate. W. M. Riley, Route 1, Ashland. 11-29-1mo

FOR SALE CHEAP—New Holton cornet, cost $70; also new tent, first class condition, side walls, fly and pole. Ill. phone 50-659. 12-4-1t

FOR SALE—A few extra fine medium type Poland China male pigs. L. O. Berryman. Illinois phone 60-625. R. F. D. 5, Jacksonville, Illinois. 11-10-tf

FOR SALE—Two good work horses, one chicken wagon and coops, one set good work harness, one Live Oak Heater No. 16. George Casterline, 950 North Main. 11-4-tf

SPECIAL SALE on corn shellers with fan and feed table. The first man in, buys a sheller the cheapest. Jacksonville Farm Supply Co. It Pays to Trade With Us and You Know It. 12-2-4t

MISCELLANEOUS

MONEY to lend always. The Johnston Agency. 11-1-tf

SPIRELLA CORSET FITTING—your measurement. Mrs. Martis, 325 E. Morgan. 11-13-1mo

INSURANCE ON STOCK for death from any cause. Call and see McGinnis & Gorman, over Gem theatre. 12-3-3t

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WOODS' CARRIAGE AND BAGgage line. Order for all trains and special occasions. Prompt and reliable service at all times. Both phones, 174. Office at 219 East Court street. 10-5-tf

GRAND PANITORIUM—We make a specialty of cleaning white furs, white beaver hats, kid gloves, kid shoes. Cleaning and pressing. Work called for and delivered. 216 E. Court St. Ill. phone 1143. Chas. M. Harrison, proprietor. 12-3-1mo

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LOST and FOUND

LOST—In city Saturday, Nov. 21st, cameo pin. $5.00 reward, return to Journal office. 1-29-6t

LOST—Small diamond ear ring between Parochial school and East State. Return to Journal. Reward. 12-2-2t

JACKSONVILLE TIME TABLE.

North Bound—
Chicago Ltd., ex-Sun., dept. 1:40 pm
Chicago Ltd. ex-Sun. ar 12:20 am
Chicago-Peoria Accom., thru to Chicago 7:30 pm
Peoria-Bloomington Acc. 5:30 pm
From St. Louis 8:50 pm
Chicago "Red Hummer" 1:55 am

South and West Bound—
St. Louis Accom., daily 6:00 am
Kansas City-St Louis local 10:27 am
St. Louis-Mexico Accom. 3:48 pm
Kansas City Express 8:00 pm

Wabash

East Bound—
No. 72 local frgt, ex-Sun. 1:10 am
No. 12 9:45 pm
No. 52, daily 6:25 pm
No. 28, daily 2:13 am
No. 4, daily 8:30 am
No trains stop at Junction.

West Bound—
No. 9, daily 1:50 pm
No. 73, loc. freight, ex-Sun. 2:25 pm
No. 3, daily 7:15 am
No. 15, daily 5:15 pm
No. 53, Hannibal Accom. 10:05 am

Burlington Route.

North Bound—
No. 47, daily, ex-Sunday 11:20 am
No. 11, daily, ex-Sunday 4:50 pm

South Bound—
No. 12, daily, ex-Sunday 6:55 am
No. 43, daily, ex-Sunday 2:08 pm

C., P. & St. L.

North Bound—
No. 36, daily 7:40 am
No. 35, returns 11:34 am
No. 38, daily 3:05 pm
No. 37, returns 7:35 p. m.

No change of time on Sundays.

MOISTURE AND DUST.

Why This Rain Combination In the Air Shows a Red Sun.

An old weather proverb runs, "A red sun has water in his eye," and the condition which gave rise to it is explained by Professor W. J. Humphreys of the United States weather bureau in a discussion of some useful weather proverbs.

The condition that most favors a red sun is a great quantity of dust—especially smoke particles—in a damp atmosphere. Smoke alone in sufficient quantity will produce this effect, but it is intensified by the presence of moisture.

The blue and other short wave length colors of sunlight are both scattered and absorbed to a greater extent by a given amount of dust or other substance, such as water vapor, than is the red, and this effect becomes more pronounced as the particles coalesce.

Hence when the atmosphere is heavily charged with dust particles that have become moisture laden we see the sun as a fiery ball.

It has been known that this dust has much to do with rainfall, since it was proved by the physicist Aitken years ago that cloud particles, and therefore rain, will not under ordinary conditions form in a perfectly dust free atmosphere, but will readily form about dust motes of any kind in an atmosphere that is sufficiently damp. A red sun, therefore, commonly indicates the presence of both of the essential rain elements—that is, dust and moisture.—Rocky Mountain News.

COURT TRIALS IN FRANCE.

Three Judges and Two Sets of Jurors In Each Criminal Case.

Most interesting indeed is it to watch the trial of a criminal in Paris, especially when defended by a woman. French procedure is quite different from ours.

There are two sets of jurors, who must sit throughout the trial, so that any mishap to any juror in the group selected to determine the facts is prevented from retarding the trial by the immediate substitution of one of the jurors from the second group. Three judges always sit in all the assizes at every trial.

The prosecuting attorney, beginning with the words "I accuse," reads the indictment to the prisoner and does not speak again. The presiding justice does all the questioning, and there seem to be no rules of evidence to restrict his questions. The defending attorney at the close of the trial addresses the jury. He has the last word before the judge's charge.

A word here about the criminals of France. I have never seen a worse looking lot than those "Apaches." I was told that they are the descendants of criminals, and they looked it. Comparing them with our criminals, I was led to state that the United States had no criminal class, and it will be our own fault if we permit a criminal class to exist.—Mary M. Lilly in Case and Comment.

The Blushing Tree.

The blushing tree gets its name from the change of hue it assumes when the rain falls on it. As the drops drench the leaves, gradually but unmistakably the green tint gives way to pink. In a few minutes the green fades from sight. Only in a few half hidden spots beneath broad branches and on its trunk is there a tinge of green to be seen. After an hour or more, when the shower is over, the tree assumes its familiar green once more. Certain tiny insects, and not the tree itself, change color. These peculiar parasites are possessed of the power of chameleons. In the warm sunshine they are greener than the tree on which they live, but when the chilly rain falls upon them they contract their tiny backs and become a pretty pink in tint. Millions of these change the entire appearance of the tree and make it seem to be blushing

Anti-suffragistic.

Southerners are notoriously fond of hot rolls, but they have a confection called Sally Lunn which is even more highly prized among them. It is not the sort of thing one has every day. It is for special occasions.

"Uncle William," said the housewife to the much spoiled old family servant who presided over most of the domestic arrangements—"Unc' William, don't you think it is about time for us to have some Sally Lunn?"

"Naw'm, Miss Ma'y, naw'm. Don't let's have none er dat. I ain't never had no fancy for dat female bread!"—New York Post.

Truth or Fiction?

"Ah, what a difference there is," remarked the cynic wearily, "between courtship and marriage! Courtship is made up of soft nothings—marriage of hard facts."

And he broke the world's record for a sigh.—New York Times.

Pointed Remarks.

Willie—Paw, what are pointed remarks?

Paw—The kind a man makes when he steps on a tack, my son.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

In the Wee Sma' Hours.

She (at the top of the stairs)—What's all that noise down there? He (in the hall)—I guess it must be the dawn breaking, dearie.—Baltimore American.

Consistent.

"How devoted your husband is to continued stories!"

"Yes; he even begins the day with a cereal."—Baltimore American.

WORLD'S MARKET NEWS

PROFIT TAKING BY LONGS WIPES OUT EARLY ADVANCE IN WHEAT

Depression in Last Half of Day Contrasts Strongly With Bullish Sentiment That Prevailed at the Start.

Chicago, Dec. 3.—Profit-taking by longs in wheat today more than wiped out an early advance that was due to higher cables. Closing prices were heavy, ⅝c to ¾c under last night. Corn suffered a net loss of ⅝@½c to ½@⅝c and oats of ⅜c to ⅝c.

In provisions the outcome was 2½c to 10c advance.

Depression during the last half of the day in the wheat pit contrasted strongly with the bullish sentiment that prevailed at the start. Foreign news had been almost uniformly in favor of an upturn in values, with Liverpool reporting that offerings there were light and the demand increasingly urgent. Besides, advices were at hand that Italy had extended until June a reduction of the custom house charges on imports.

There were also numerous reports of dry weather threatening the domestic winter crop, especially in western Kansas.

Although corn at first hardened on account of the scantiness of rural offers, the market afterward sagged wtih wheat.

The short interest appeared to have been eliminated and the pit was in poor shape to take any considerable amount of selling. Oats merely reflected the action of other grain.

Business for the most part was confined to small lots.

New York Money Market

New York, Dec. 3.—Closing—Mercantile paper, 4½@5c; sterling exchange, heavy; sixty day bills, 4.86; for cables, 4.88.85; for demand, 4.88.35; bar silver, 47⅝c.

Peoria Grain Market

Peoria, Ills., Dec. 3.—Corn unchanged. No. 2 yellow, 62½@63½; No. 2 mixed, 62½; No. 3 mixed, 63½.

Oats—Unchanged; No. 2 white, 48¼; standard, 48¼; No. 3 white, 48c.

Minneapolis Grain Market

Minneapolis, Minn., Dec. 3.—Wheat was lower today. Receipts, 350 cars compared with 322 a year ago.

Cash wheat—No. 1 hard, $1.18¾; No. 1 Northern, $1.15@1.17¾, to arrive, $1.15@1.17¾; No. 2 Northern, $1.11¾@1.15¾; No. 3 wheat, $1.08@1.14.

New York Grain Market

New York, Dec. 3.—Wheat—Spot irregular; No. 2 red and No. 2 hard, $1.24, all rail cif track export; No. 1 Northern Duluth, $1.27 and No. 1 Northern Manitoba, $1.23¾ cif Buffalo to arrive.

Futures were without transactions. Dec. $1.22¼; May $1.29¼.

Corn—Spot easy; No. 2 yellow, 72½c cif to arrive. Argentine prime 73c nominal delivered.

Oats—Spot steady.

Frank Reid and sister Miss Mabel Reid went to Greenfield Thursday where they attended the funeral of their aunt, Mrs. A. C. Metcalf.

HOME MARKET

Grocers pay farmers

Bacon	14c
New beans, lb.	10c
Eggs	18c
Butter	25c
Spring chickens	11c

Commission men pay

Hens	9c
Spring chickens	9 1-2c
Old roosters	6c
Ducks	9 1-2c
Geese	9c
Guineas	20c
Turkeys	18c
Fresh eggs	28c
Beef hides	13c
Butter, packing stock	19c

Jacksonville Creamery Co. is paying for butter fat this week 33c

Hay and Grain

Timothy ay, per bale	95c
Timothy hay, per ton	20.00
Clover hay, per bale	95c
Alfalfa hay, per bale	85c
Alfalfa hay, per ton	20.00
Oats straw	65c
Wheat straw	40c
Corn, per bushel	95c
Bran, per cwt.	$1.30
Cracked corn, per cwt.	$2.00
Coarse corn meal	$2.00

Farm For Sale To Settle an Estate

At less than its real value, 160 acres. One of the best stock and grain farms in Morgan county; natural drainage and thoroughly tiled, good two-story 8-room house, with porches, bedrooms, cellar, etc.; brick walk all around house and to outbuildings; wells, cistern, spring, (best watered farm in county), smokehouse, hen house, milk house, implement and carriage house, granary for 1,000 bushels, barn for 20 horses or cattle, scales all in good repair, cost over $8,000. Farm is well fenced and in good state of cultivation, in good neighborhood; has produced 90 bu. corn, 80 bu. oats per acre; has not changed owners for over 60 years; accumulations of over half a century. A beautiful country home; a rare opportunity; abstract ready. You can buy this farm direct from the owners. Let us show you this farm now, with the crops on it.

ADDRESS QUARTER SECTION
Care This Paper

STOCK EXCANGE AUTHORITIES PUBLISH TWO LISTS OF PRICES

Action is in Response to General Demand by Members and Their Clients—Partial List of Closing Prices.

New York, Dec. 3.—In response to a general demand by members and their clients, the stock exchange authorities today published two lists of stock prices, the first as of one o'clock and the other after the close. Both contained minimum and bid and asked quotations and the later list included final prices.

Beginning tomorrow the exchange will publish one list embodying these various quotations after the close of business. This list will be carried on all the tickers controlled by the exchange.

Today's closing prices in part were:

American beat sugar	27
American can	26
American can pfd	89½
American cotton oil	33
American ice sec	22
American sugar	102
American Tel. & Tel.	117
American tobacco pfd	103½
Atchison	90
Bethlehem steel	42¾
Brooklyn rapid transit	86⅞
Central leather	33¼
St. Paul	84½
Erie pfd	32
Great Northern ore	23¼
Illinois Central	103½
Inter-borough met	11⅜
Inter-Harvester	92
LaClede gas	84¼
Lehigh Valley	124½
National Biscuit	120
National Lead	41
New York Central	81
New York, N. H. & H.	51
Ontario and Western	20
Norfolk & Western	96¼
Pacific mail	17½
Pennsylvania	104¾
People's Gas	116
Reading	139
Texas Oil	124¼
Union Pacific	112¾
U. S. Rubber	46¼
Utah copper	46
Western Union	57

Chicago Livestock Market

HOGS

Receipts, 43,000.
Market, steady at 5 to 15c decline.

Bulk of sales	$6.55@6.85
Light	6.10@6.85
Mixed	6.40@7.00
Heavy	6.35@7.00
Rough	6.40@6.55
Pigs	3.50@6.50

CATTLE

Receipts, 7,000.
Market, strong.

Native steers	$5.70@10.50
Western	5.25@ 8.50
Cows and heifers	3.25@ 8.60
Calves	7.00@10.00

SHEEP

Receipts, 32,000.
Market, unsettled.

Sheep	$5.20@6.25
Yearlings	6.30@7.50
Lambs	6.50@9.00

St. Louis Livestock Market

HOGS

Receipts, 6,300.
Market, 10 to 15c higher.

Pigs and lights	$5.75@7.15
Mixed and butchers	6.90@7.25
Good heavy	7.00@7.25

CATTLE

Receipts, 3,900.
Market, 10 to 15c higher.

Native beef steers	$7.50@10.75
Cows and heifers	5.00@ 9.25

SHEEP

Receipts, 1,200.
Lambs, higher. Muttons, steady.

Native muttons	$4.75@5.50
Lambs	8.00@8.90
Yearlings	6.50@7.25

Furnished by James E. Bennett & Co.

	Open	High	Low	Close
Wheat—				
Dec.	$1.14⅝	$1.15½	$1.14¼	$1.14¼
May	1.21½	1.21⅝	1.20¾	1.20⅝
Corn—				
Dec.	.64	.64	.63	.63⅛
May	.69⅝	.69⅝	.68⅝	.68⅜
Oats—				
Dec.	.47⅝	.47⅞	.47	.47
May	.52½	.52⅝	.51¾	.51¾
Pork—				
Jan.	18.02½	18.10	18.00	18.05
May	18.35	18.57½	18.35	18.45
Lard—				
Jan.	9.62½	9.72½	9.62½	9.65
Jan.	9.65	9.77½	9.65	9.70
Ribs—				
May	9.97½	10.10	9.97½	10.00

ST. LOUIS CASH GRAIN.

Wheat—No. 2 red, $1.13@1.14½; No. 3 red, $1.12@1.13; No. 4 red, $1.09@1.11; No. 2 hard winter, $1.14½@1.16; No. 3 hard winter, $1.14@1.16; No. 4 hard winter, $1.11.

Corn—No. 2, 64c; No. 3, 63½@64c; No. 4, 62½c; No. 2 white, 64½c; No. 3 white, 63½c; No. 2 yellow, 64½@65c; No. 3 yellow, 63½@64c; No. 4 yellow, 63c.

Oats—No. 2, 47½c; No. 3, 46@47c; No. 2 white, 49½c; No. 3 white, 48@48½c; No. 4 white, 47@47½c; standard, 49c.

CHICAGO CASH GRAIN MARKET.

Wheat—No. 2 red, $1.14¾@1.16; No. 3 red, $1.13¾@1.15½; No. 2 hard winter, $1.15@1.16¾; No. 3 hard winter, $1.13¾@1.15½.

Corn—No. 2 mixed, new, 63½@64c; No. 3 mixed, 61½@62½c; No. 4 mixed, 60½@61½c; No. 3 white, 62@62½c; No. 4 white, 61@61½c; No. 2 yellow, 63¾@64¾c; No. 3 yellow, 61¾@62¾c; No. 4 yellow, 61@61½; No. 5 yellow, 59¾@60c.

Oats—No. 2 white, 48½@49¼c; No. 3 white, 47¼@48¼c; No. 4 white, 46¾@48c; standard, 48½@49c.

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Barnhart and son Leroy have returned from Petersburg, where they visited at the home of Thomas Tennan.

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corn-ender, based on an entirely new principle. It is a new, different formula, never successfully imitated. It makes corns shrivel and then vanish. Two drops do the work. You don't bundle up your toe any more with sticky tape and plasters that press down on the poor corn—no more flesh-eating salves that don't "stay put," no more hacking at corns with knives or razors, no more bleeding or danger of blood poison. No more limping around for days with sore corns, no more corn pains.

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WILL BE AT THE DUNLAP HOTEL FROM 9 A. M. MONDAY, DEC. 7, UNTIL 2 P. M. WEDNESDAY, DEC. 9.



Dr. Gable is glad to inform his patients and every person suffering with chronic disease or weakness, that he will be at the Dunlap Hotel from 9 a. m. Monday, Dec. 7, until 2 p. m. Wednesday, Dec. 9. If you are suffering from chronic disease, do not neglect this opportunity to get his expert opinion of your case. He offers consultation and examination FREE to all sufferers.

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SPECIAL For This Week

Loose raisins, two pounds	25c
12-oz. package raisins	10c
16-oz. package raisins, two for	25c
12-oz. package currants	10c
16-oz. package currants	15c
Fancy prunes	40 to 50c
Size 20c lb. prunes, 2 pounds	35c
Dryed peaches, per pound	10c
3 cans good corn	25c
3 cans peas	25c
4 pounds Japan rice	25c
Sweet Cider, per gallon	25c
New Sauer Kraut, per gallon	25c
Fancy cranberries, per quart	10c

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STATISTICS SHOW MANY CASUALTIES IN MINES AND QUARRIES

Three Thousand Six Hundred and Fifty One Men Killed During the Year—Great Number Injured.

Washington, Dec. 1—That peaceful industry has its horrors as well as war is shown in the casualty list of American mines and quarries for 1913, issued today by the United States Bureau of Mines. This list gives 3,651 men killed in the year. The number of men injured was not tabulated, but is it estimated that it reached 100,000.

Altogether in the coal mines, metal mines and quarries 1,047,010 men were employed, and the death rate for each 1,000 men engaged was 3.49, or nearly three and one-half men.

Dr. Joseph A. Holmes, Director of the Bureau of Mines, comes forward with the statement that, taking the hazards of the industry into consideration, this list of death and injury is excessive and unnecessary, and a discredit to the industry and the country.

Commenting on the deaths in the mines, Dr. Holmes said: "We stand aghast at the slaughter in Europe as reports reach us concerning the terrible war that is raging, and we pride ourselves on our freedom from war through the adaptation of higher ideals and standards. Yet to me this report on the death in one year of 3,651 men engaged in a peaceful industry is quite as discreditable. And when we consider that this record is being repeated year after year, the very thought of it becomes appalling. In the last three years, as far back as the records of the bureau covering certain branches of the industry go, the mines and quarries of the United States have swallowed up 10,487 human lives and have incapacitated temporarily probably a quarter of a million men. And the saddest part of it all is that agreat part of this death roll and a still greater part of the injuries are not necessry. I believe I am conservative when I say that half of the 3,651 men killed in the year 1913 might have been saved and three-fourths of the 100,000 men injured in the same year might have escaped injury had all the various agencies involved, the operators, the miners, and the State and National governments done their full duty in the matter. Perhaps no one of these agencies has done its full duty. For the Bureau of Mines, as representing the Federal Government, I can say that owing to a lack of adequate funds, this bureau has fallen short of doing its full part in this great safety movement; and I therefore hesitate to criticize the seeming shortcomings of any other agency.

"It is not to the credit of the United States that very European countries embroiled in the greatest conflict of the ages kill in their mining industries but one-half or even one third of the number of men we kill. I refer to the number killed for every 1,000 employed, which is a fair basis for comparison. According to the latest foreign statistics, Belgium killed one man in every 1,000; Great Britain and France one and one-half men; and Germany two and one-half men; as and I hope that the American people rate of three and one-half.

"With such a grewsome record as has the United States in its mining industry, it is high time something more drastic is done to bring this excessive loss of life down to a basis that will be more favorably comparable with other countries. It can be done; it should be done; and I hope that he American people will see that it is done.

"Before the Federal Government began its attempts to aid in reducing the mortality of the mines, the death rate was teadily increasing; and although every year our coal mines grow deeper and more hazardous, as with increasing depth the explosive gases increase, this increase in fatalities has fortunately been stopped and the rate is now slightly reduced. But this is only a beginning of what I hope will soon be a much greater improvement. What we really aim to do is to aid in saving the lives of at least two men in every 1,000, of the three and one-half men per 1,000 now killed in our mining operations. In an industrial army of over a million men working underground, that will mean a yearly saving of more than 2,000 lives; and in the combined mining and mineral industries, employing two and one-third million men, I hope we can aid in preventing 30,000 to 40,000 accidents each year.

"It must not be forgotten that mining is and always will be a hazardous industry and that each year it will demand as its tribute to modern civilizion a certain death roll. We cannot avoid the inevitable, but we can avoid the unnecessary; and that would mean each year the lives of at least two thousand miners spared to the Nation's wage earners and to their wives and families; and a reduction to an extent of 30,000 to 40,000 in non-fatal accidents in the mining and menallurgical industries of the country. Surely this is sometning worth striving for."

SENATOR ROOT HEADS SEARCH

Clinton, N. Y., Dec. 3.—Senator Elihu Root is personally heading the search among the papers of Alexander Hamilton for proof of Hamilton's interst in the founding of Hamilton-Oneida Academy in 1793. Senator Root's search will include private collections, as well as the Congressional Library. He says that Hamilton was greatly interested in the founding of the academy by Samuel Kirkland, missionary to the Indians, who established it as part of his plan to deal with the red men by education. The institution, now known as Hamilton College, expects to prove its name is well founded. Senator Root was graduated in the class of 1804.

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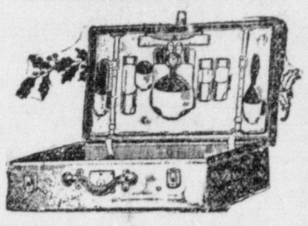
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GENERAL CONGRESS PROGRAM MUST BE VERY LIMITED

Appropriation Bills Will Occupy Greater Portion of the Time.

Washington, Dec. 3.—President Wilson is conferring with the leaders of congress with reference to a legislative program for the third session of the 63rd congress, beginning next Monday. So much time necessarily must be used in considering the appropriation bills that the general program must be very limited. The administration apparently is determined that there shall be no extra session next summer, so the president must make very adroit selections if he is to get favored measures through without too great a risk of compelling an extra session to finish with the supply bills.

Conservation will undoubtedly have an important place on Mr. Wilson's list. Two waterpower bills have passed the house and are favored by the piresident, having been improved, from the viewpoint of the conservationists, over the form in which they were introduced. The president may also urge a bill which extends the policy of leasing public lands, following the model of the Alaska leasing bill. This proposed measure will find opposition in the senate.

The mystery attending the fate of the seamen's bill has not yet been solved. The president has continued non-commital regarding this legislation, which has passed both houses in radically different forms, and is now awaiting a conference. This bill is one of the pets of union labor. According to its opponents, its provisions are wholly inconsistent with the business policy which must be followed by ship owners if they are to take full advantage of their privileges under the ship registry law. During the present period of transition, it might embarass the administration. Nevertheless the unions are likely to insist that this measure be enacted, despite the argument that it may handicap the growth of the American merchant marine.

Probably some of the Southern members will insist again upon the Henry-Smith bill providing for government loans on cotton. They will at least support amendments to the federal reserve act, which they overlooked in the last session according to the reserve board, would have increased the lending power of the reserve banks having dealings with the south to the extent of $196,000,000.

Not the least important among the measures which congress must consider soon is the railway mail pay bill. The president, by his silence, has practically approved the Moon bill, which is backed by Postmaster-General Burleson, and virtually turns the assistant postmasterships over to the spoilsmen. This bill also provides for a less rate of compenation to the railroads than provided by the Bourne bill, which has been worked out as a scientific measure. The railroads are enthusiastic over the Bourne bill and the president may be forced into a definite position soon.

The Shackleford-Bryan good roads bill has passed the house and awaits action by the senate. This is a gift to the states of $25,000,000. Another bill has been prepared, embodying a scientific plan of federal aid to road building. Here again the president must make a choice.

The house has also sent to the senate two convict labor bills; one making goods of this kind carried in interstate commerce subject to the laws of the state of destination, and the other forbidding their importation from abroad. The Burnett immigration bill, with its literacy test, is ready for action by the senate.

The president is expected to renew his advocacy of the ship-purchase bill, which will meet with hard sledding in both branches. An important house bill seeks to place all water transportation under the jurisdiction of the Interstate commerce commission. Resale prices, patent legislation, the labeling of manufactured goods, with reference to aduliteration and misbranding, the licensing of warehouses, the admission of state banks to the federal reserve system—these are only a few of many important subjects for legislation which may be considered during the term of President Wilson, if not in the coming session.

The contest over the rivers and harbors bill may be renewed, although it can be said that the spoilsmen are in a somewhat chastened mood. So far, President Wilson has not announced his attitude toward this measure. But, with the necessity of economy staring him in the face, it is expected he will ask for its close pruning.

SUFFRAGISTS SEE WILSON AGAIN.

Washington, Dec. 3.—Within a few days, President Wilson will receive another delegation of suffragists, but it is promised that they will behave and not "beard" him in his den. Mrs. George A. Armes will lead a delegation of Democratic Women of America to the White House, to seek the president's endorsement of equal suffrage. The president has unpleasant memories of the previous conference, which he gave last summer to a delegation from another organization. The spokeswoman at that time offended the president during the hearing, but he has entirely forgiven the ladies and is entirely willing to hear their argument.

AT LUTHERAN CONFERANCE.

Rev. Edward Beck has returned from Chandlerville where he was in attendance upon Illinois Valley conference of the German Lutheran churches. He reports a good attendance and an interesting meeting.

HOPEFUL OF EARLY CLEARING UP OF COLORADO SITUATION

President is Expected to Refer to Question in His Message to Congress Next Week.

Washington, Dec. 3.—President Wilson, it became known today, is hopeful now of an early clearing up of the Colorado coal strike situation. He is expected to refer to the question in his message to congress next week.

Ultimately, it was understood today, the president wants a law applying to all industrial disputes similar to the Newlands act, under which many threatened strikes on railroads have been averted. The federal industrial relations commission, which is now conducting hearings in Colorado, is expected to recommend the passage of such a law.

The president is still awaiting formal word from the governor of Colorado that the state is ready to resume complete control of the strike situation and will withdraw the federal troops as soon as such a notice is received.

Chairman Foster today called a meeting of the house mines committee for next Saturday with a view to considering the final report on the congressional inquiry into the strike.

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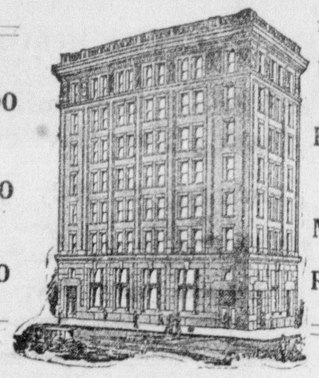
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STATE ANNIVERSARY OBSERVED IN SCHOOLS

KEEN ENTHUSIASM MANIFEST IN CELEBRATION OF ILLINOIS DAY.

Addresses by Prominent Citizens Mention Place of State in U. S. History and Call Attention to Events in Life of Jacksonville.

Illinois Day was generally observed Thursday in the public schools of Jacksonville and addresses were given by leading citizens on the place of Illinois in the history of the nation and the position of Jacksonville in the life story of the state. Much enthusiasm was manifested and the manner in which the pupils sang the songs and took part in the exercises spoke exceedingly well for the success of this celebration of Illinois' ninety-sixth anniversary.

At the high school and eighth grade addresses were given by the Rev. M. L. Pontius and Horace H. Bancroft and short talks were made by Miss Katherine Olmsted, the public health nurse and by Paul B. Fritchey, who as secretary of the Chamber of Commerce was largely responsible in bringing the observance about. At the Washington school the speakers were Mrs. Elizabeth Koch of the high school faculty and Mr. Ensley Moore. Mrs. Koch talked of Illinois history and Mr. Moore gave a brief but interesting discussion on "Jacksonville." Dr. H. C. Woltman and Prof. J. H. Rayhill were speakers at the Jefferson school and Miss Annie Hinrichsen and Prof. D. O. Clark spoke of "Jacksonville" and "Illinois" to the pupils of the Lafayette school. Dr. J. R. Harker and Hugh Green spoke at the Franklin school and Miss Janette Powell and W. S. Camp at the Morton branch. Attention was called to the anniversary at the Woman's college chapel exercises and at Illinois college President Rammelkamp made a brief address after which the students joined in singing the state song.

"The Place of Illinois in History" was the topic assigned Rev. Mr. Pontius at the high school and grammar school celebration. The minister described Illinois as the state of his adoption, as he was born in Indiana and educated in Ohio and Connecticut. He called attention to the high place held by the state in industry and agriculture and spoke of the hardy pioneers who laid such strong foundations prior to the birth of Illinois in 1818. Mr. Bancroft spoke on "Jacksonville's Place in History," calling attention to the many famous men who have made this city their home and mentioning the landmarks and historical buildings which abound here. He spoke particularly with reference to Jacksonville as an educational center. Rev. Mr. Pontius and Mr. Bancroft spoke in both buildings, giving the same address in reverse order in the high school and eighth grade auditorium respectively. This was the first occasion upon which the students of the seventh and eighth grades have assembled in the new auditorium.

At The Fourth Ward.

Pupils of the fourth, fifth and sixth grades assembled for the exercises which proved to be of a very interesting character. Mrs. Elizabeth Koch gave the story of Illinois tracing it from the beginning to the present in a way which held the close attention of her hearers. "Jacksonville" was the theme assigned to Mr. Ensley Moore and no one is better fitted to tell the facts about this city and the pupils were much interested. After the two addresses a program of patriotic songs was sung. Miss Lusk, principal of the school presided.

Mr. Moore in the fifteen minutes allowed him attempted only to briefly outline the leading events in the history of Jacksonville. In tracing the beginning of the town he went pretty far back telling how in 1778 Col. George Rogers Clark at Kaskaskia took the Illinois country from the English. It then became the county of Virginia and was a part of the Northwestern territory under the ordinance of 1787 and then was in territorial relation with Indiana. It became a territory itself in 1809 and the state was born in 1818. Morgan county was established in 1823, then including Cass and Scott. Jacksonville was laid out in 1825, probably being named after Gen. Andrew Jackson. The town became a city in 1867, John Mathers being the first mayor.

It sent volunteers to the Black Hawk war in 1832. Col. John J. Hardin led the first regiment of Illinois volunteers to the Mexican war in 1846, giving his life on the field of Buena Vista. The civil war began in April, 1861, and Jacksonville contributed its full share of volunteers to the Union cause, as it did to the Spanish war in 1898.

Churches are the first and best thing to be mentioned. The first organizations were the Methodist, the Presbyterian and the Christian in the order named.

Schools are one of the great glories of Jacksonville, Illinois College being established in 1829 and opened to scholars in 1830, with the Jacksonville Female Academy in 1830. This was followed by the Illinois Woman's College then under a different name in 1847. Another glory of modern civilization, is the schools for the defective classes. The school for the Deaf and Dumb was opened in 1846, the Central Hospital for the Insane in 1851 and the School for the Blind in 1849.

At first schools were taught by various persons, the patrons paying for the tuition of the children. Then common or public schools were established, Gov. Joseph Duncan being one of the first to urge this.

Upon the chartering of the city in 1867, its public schools were put in charge of a board of education consisting of a member from each ward with the mayor as president of the board. (Incidentally the speaker stated that he had been a member of this board.)

In the matter of fires perhaps the most notable was the burning of the First Presbyterian church on the lot where the Journal office now stands in 1883. There have also been three fires at the Woman's College.

An event much talked about in early days was the deep snow which fell in December, 1830, and January, 1831, and the sudden freeze of December, 1836, was notable.

A great event in the history of Jacksonville occurred in 1834, when Stephen A. Douglas began his career as statesman in a speech delivered in this town.

A frightful feature of the year 1833 was an epidemic of cholera. This disease visiting the town with less severity during several other years but there has been no attack since 1873.

One of the greatest events in the history of the town was the opening of the railroad from Meredosia to Jacksonville in 1839, this being the beginning of all the railroads west of Pennsylvania and north of the Ohio river, and it was Jacksonville men who organized and built this road. Chicago so much thought of as a railway center now, was not in it for ten years after Jacksonville began.

We had a governor, Joseph Duncan, chosen from here in 1834. Richard Yates, war governor, in 1860, and his son, Richard Yates, in 1900, it being very unusual for the son of a governor also to be governor.

Gas was turned on January first, 1858. Electric lights were first introduced in May, 1884, that system being temporary, but succeeded by one which was permanent. The people voted to have water works about 1870. Water was turned on in June 1875.

The street car system began about 1870, cars first being pulled by horses and electricity coming into use in time.

Nowadays we talk about the Red Cross in taking care of sick and wounded soldiers, but during the civil war one of the most efficient means of relief was the Christian commission. In 1864 Chaplain McCabe, William Reynolds of Peoria, and Marshall P. Ayers inspired by an offer of $10,000 from Jacob Strawn, provided they could raise another $10,000 in the county, canvassed the city and county and secured the amount named, thereby also securing Mr. Strawn's $10,000, to which must be added $2,500 raised otherwise, making a total of $22,500. This sum was one of the largest contributions in the U. S. made for the relief of the sick and wounded soldiers through the Christian commission.

The first newspaper was started about 1830 and the Daily Journal is practically descended from that.

The first fourth of July celebration was also in 1830.

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FILE CAMPAIGN EXPENSE ACCOUNTS.

Washington, Dec. 3.—Final campaign expense accounts in senate contest in the last election were filed today by the following:

Lawrence Y. Sherman, Republican of Illinois, contributions, $600, expenditures, $6,933. Maurice Connelly, Democrat of Iowa, contributions, $10,387; expenditures, $9,417. Mr. Connelly filed a supplementary statement declaring that of his receipts $6,479 were contributed by himself.

Cannon Spends $3,274.

Washington, Dec. 3.—Representative-elect Joseph G. Cannon of Illinois, former speaker of the house spent $3,274 in his primary and election campaigns this year, according to his report of campaign expenses filed here today.

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Held Public Sale Yesterday and Expects to Move to Winfield, Kansas in January.

Charles C. Young, residing three miles northeast of Arcadia, held a public sale Thursday afternoon, which was largely attended. Mr. Young has traded his farm for one near Winfield, Kansas and expects to go there about the first of the year.

Horses bought from $30 up and one team $135; a pair of young mules $95; hogs, $18 to $20; cows, $40 to $60; corn, 50c per bushel; rye, 64c per bushel; wheat straw, 30c per bale; rye straw, 34c per bale. One base burner and some farming implements were disposed of.

J. G. Cox was the auctioneer and Charles McDonald clerk. The Ladies Aid society of the Shiloh church served lunch.

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SEC'Y FRITCHEY RECEIVES GREETINGS ILLINOIS DAY

Telegrams of congratulations on "Illinois Day" to the Jacksonville Chamber of Commerce, were received Thursday by Secretary Fritchey, from commercial bodies in various parts of the state. LaSalle and Moline sent messages as did the East St. Louis Commercial, the Chicago association of Commerce, the Cairo Association of Commerce, the Civic Club of Kewanee, the Springfield Commercial association and the Alton Board of Trade.

Car Michigan apples, Northern Spy, Baldwin, etc. Cole Building, west of Courier. C. Spruit.

WILL LEARN TRADE.

Sanders Baptist left yesterday for Chicago, where he expects to learn the barber trade.

The Salem Ladies Aid will hold their annual bazaar and oyster supper at R. E. Phillips, Friday evening, Dec. 4.

MISSIONARY SOCIETY MEETS.

Quarterly Birthday Tea of Baptist Church Organization is Held Thursday Afternoon.

The Woman's Missionary society of the First Baptist church held its regular monthly meeting and quarterly birthday tea at the home of Mrs. Harvey Long, West Lafayette avenue, Thursday afternoon.

The meeting opened with a hymn "Rescue the Perishing." Mrs. A. B. Williamson led the devotional exercises, reading appropriate passages from Scripture and was followed by a prayer by Mrs. Thornberry, a guest of the society, after which all joined in repeating the Lord's prayer.

After routine business was transacted the program of the afternoon was given. Mrs. Robert Henley and Mrs. L. B. Turner were the leaders and had been fortunate in securing Miss Glecker of the School of Expression of the Woman's College, to present the subject. Miss Glecker gave a most interesting and entertaining talk on "The Sioux Indian as I Have Known Him" speaking from her own personal experience as a child and a teacher in the schools of Pierre, S. D., her home. At the close of her talk Miss Glecker gave a humorous reading, "Her First Visit to the Butcher," which was very much enjoyed. Miss Laura Hayden gave a vocal solo, Mrs. Brown acting as her accompanist, and the meeting closed by repeating the Lord's prayer in concert. During the social time which followed delightful refreshments were served. The hostesses were Mrs. J. P. Brown, Mrs. Belle Hocking, Mrs. G. H. Kopperl, Mrs. Harvey Long, Mrs. W. Spires, Mrs. Gard, Mrs. Stebbins and Mrs. I. C. Coleman.

MATHIS, KAMM & SHIBE SAY:

Our handsome Souvenir calendars will be ready for distribution Dec. 29th.

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AUTOMOBILE AND STREET CAR COLLIDE.

A street car collided with an automobile belonging to Dr. G. E. Baxter Thursday morning on South Main street. The doctor was going east on College street and did not see the car in time. The front part of the machine was damaged as it was swung around by the impact.

Double heel rubbers. Hopper's.

ANNUAL CHRISTMAS BAZAAR AND SUPPER OF GRACE CHURCH

Large Number in Attendance and Various Committees Work Hard for the Success of the Evening.

The annual Christmas bazaar and dinner served by the Pastor's Aid society of Grace M. E. church Thursday was a delightful event. The bazar held in three booths was devoted to the interest of the children and young people of the church. Mrs. H. L. Griswold was chairman of the Sunday school booth with Miss Lizzie Groves, Miss Spencer, Miss Ida Marsh and Mrs. G. I. Graham as assistants. Fancy aprons and kimonas were disposed of in the bazar and home made candy in the candy booth.

The choir booth was a pear tree in spring time blossoms yet loaded with fruit in the shape of "pairs" of great variety. Mrs. John R. Davis was chairman assisted by Misses Millicent Rowe, Alice Wadsworth, Lillian Davis and Mrs. Baumgartner.

Mrs. Ben Lurton was in charge of the Y. M. C. A. booth and among those assisting were Mrs. A. T. Capps, Mrs. Robert Nelson and Mrs. Frank P. Taylor. A great variety of articles and fine display of rugs and pillow covers were shown in this booth.

A splended turkey dinner was served, prepared under the direction of Mrs. S. W. Black with Mrs. Nelson McMurphy, Mrs. J. W. Miller, Mrs. George Baxter and many others assisting. The dining room presented a pleasing appearance with the decorations of Christmas colors and glow of red candles. There was a large patronage and much of the success of the affair is due Mrs. S. O. Shuff who had charge of the tickets and made the splendid record of disposing of one hundred and seventy tickets by the cordial invitation which she extended.

WESTMINSTER BAZAAR AND MARKET

THE ANNUAL BAZAAR AND MARKET GIVEN BY LADIES OF WESTMINSTER WILL BE HELD AT THE CHURCH NEXT TUESDAY. A SPLENDID OPPORTUNITY WILL BE AFFORDED FOR CHRISTMAS BUYING. LOTS OF GOOD THINGS PROMISED FOR THE MARKET.

IS RELEASED ON BOND.

Charles Cline, charged with stealing coal from a Wabash car, furnished bond for his appearance at the May term of court and was released from the county jail Thursday.

Centenary turkey supper and bazaar. Remember the date, Dec. 8.

MRS. CHRISTOPHER RICHARDSON SURPRISED ON 70TH. BIRTHDAY

Many Friends Gather at Her Home Near Orleans Thursday Afternoon in Honor of Occasion.

Mrs. Christopher Richardson of the Orleans neighborhood was given a happy surprise Thursday, the occasion being her 70th birthday. The surprise was planned and successfully executed by her daughter Miss Matilda Richardson. Two friends came in to make Mrs. Richardson a call and she did not realize that there was a surprise in store for her until other guests arrived. It was an occasion of great enjoyment and sincere wishes and congratulations were extended Mrs. Richardson, and aside from receiving a set of Haviland china dishes from the guests as a whole she received a number of individual presents.

At the noon hour an elegant turkey dinner was served, the table being decorated in pink carnations. Much merriment was occasioned in the reading of the place cards, each card containing a verse or sentiment portraying some characteristic of the individual. During the afternoon Mrs. W. J. Rainey sang a number of solos and other guests furnished musical numbers.

The following were the guests present: Mrs. W. J. Rainey, Mrs. James Holmes, Mrs. James Dobyns, Mrs. Frank Drury and Mrs. Fred Moeller of Orleans; Mrs. William Scott, Arnold; Mrs. Julia Holmes, Mrs. Minnie Foster, Mrs. William Luken, Mrs. Peter Vasey and Miss Stella Vasey of Jacksonville; Mrs. John Vasey, Point, and Mrs. W. T. Richardson of Sinclair.

WATCH THIS PAPER FOR THE ANNOUNCEMENT OF HERMAN'S BIG RELIABLE DECEMBER SACRIFICING SALE. ENTIRE FORCE RE-MARKING STOCK.

UNION BAPTIST CHURCH OF PISGAH HOLDS REVIVAL

Beginning with Sunday evening, December 6th, Rev. W. R. Johnson of White Hall, Ill. will assist the Baptists of Pisgah and vicinity in special meetings for a number of weeks. Mr. Johnson is the newly appointed state evangelist of the Illinois Baptist convention for this part of the state. He is an evangelist by inheritance and instinct, and has been universally successful in that work. We feel sure that if Union Church will co-operate with Bro. Johnson in the spirit of the Lord great results are assured. The Baptists of Union crave the prayers of all interested christian people in this vicinity that the Lord will help them with Bro. Johnson to reap a glorious harvest at this time. May the Lord be gracious unto us.

A. W. Judd, pastor.

IS A PROSPEROUS MERCHANT

J. A. Carlson, one of the successful merchants of Murrayville, lived in Jacksonville as a young man following his arrival in this country from Sweden. Mr. Carlson was talking the other day about earlier times and recalled the fact that while in Jacksonville he was a shoemaker and was for a considerable time in the employ of Gottfried Tendick in his shoe-shop on South Main street. Subsequently Mr. Carlson was in the shop of Mr. Tendick's brother, and still later was in the employ of John Tendick in Murrayville. Then, having accumulated something from his labors as a shoe worker he started in business for himself and today is one of the most successful merchants of the county and is doing an extensive business. He owns a large brick store room in which he is located, and Carlson's Hall has few assembly rooms that equal it in towns the size of Murrayville.

H. L. Caldwell was a business visitor yesterday in Carrollton.

GIVE PHOTOS THIS CHRISTMAS FROM SPIETH'S STUDIO.

HUNTER TO BE BROUGHT TO JACKSONVILLE ASYLUM

Lincoln, Ill., Dec. 3.—On Thursday or Friday, Logan county will wash its hands of Robert Hunter, Elkhart's confessed arsonist who tried to end his life by jumping from the second story of the county court house during a sanitary hearing here Monday afternoon. Because the hospital authorities where Hunter is undergoing treatment for broken limbs will not assume responsibility for his custody and require a deputy to remain at his bedside, the authorities will send him to the state hospital at Jacksonville, where though crippled, he will be confined. Examinations today decided physicians that Hunter will recover, though he will be lame for life and probably will lose both feet by amputation.

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SUFFERED STROKE OF PARALYSIS.

A telegram received Thursday announced that Joseph C. Smith of this city, who recently went to Griffin, Georgia, to visit his son is in a critical condition as the result of a paralytic stroke. Mr. Smith was in apparently good health when he left here and the news of his condition came as a unwelcome surprise to his friends here. Mrs. John Frank and Mrs. DeCastro are daughters of Mr. Smith.

J. P. Brown Music House. Musical Gifts.

Ora T. Fell of Youngstown, Ohio spent yesterday in the city with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Fell of South East street. Mr. Fell is an attorney for the Republic Steel company and came here from Toledo, where he had been on legal business.

FINAL ARGUMENTS IN ARSON CASE TO BE HEARD TODAY

Defense in Nortonville Case Rests Late Thursday Afternoon.

After hearing the testimony of Delila Hettick, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wilse Hettick, in the case of the People vs. W. S. Denham, Mr. and Mrs. Wilse Hettick and Mr. and Mrs. James E. Rawlings, charged with conspiracy to defraud an insurance company by the burning of a store building in Nortonville, the defense rested their case. This move in the trial was made late Thursday afternoon, at the close of a day full of testimony for the defense and gruelling cross-examination by the prosecution.

During the afternoon Mrs. Rawlings, one of the defendants, Mildred Smith, a sister of Mrs. Rawlings and of Mrs. Hettick, Helen Hettick, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wilse Hettick; Stanley Rawlings, a son of Mr. and Mrs. James E. Rawlings; Georgia Hettick, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wilse Hettick; Mrs. J. Y. Smith, mother of Mrs. Rawlings and Mrs. Hettick; Daniel Hull, a resident of Nortonville; W. C. Delaney, a former resident of Nortonville, now living in Jacksonville; Clarence Denham of Hillview son of W. S. Denham, one of the defendants; and Delila Hettick, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wilse Hettick, testified.

Several witnesses were then called in rebuttal by the people. These were Frank Edwards, blacksmith of Nortonville; Elvin Hull, Raymond Campbell, William Henry and A. H. Borgardus. One more witness will be called in rebuttal by the people when court convenes at nine o'clock this morning. Final argument will then be commenced. These should be completed during the day and the fate of the defendants placed in the hands of the jury toward late afternoon.

C. F. Wemple as executor vs. Anna Parrock, et al. Partition. Master's report of sale approved. Cause stricken.

Real Estate Transfers.

George R. Bradley to William H. Naylor, warranty deed, part lot 12, Duncan Grove addition Jacksonville $1.00.

I. O. O. F.

Every officer and member of Ridgely Encampment No. 9 is earnestly requested to be present at the regular meeting Friday evening, December 4th. Business of importance demands your attention. Refreshments.

F. J. Muehlhausen, C. P.
J. T. Osborne, Scribe.

BIRTH RECORD.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Arthur G. Cody of 205 Pine street, Thursday, a daughter.

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